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THREAT

Of the Steel Trust to Remove the McKeesport Mills

May Soon be Carried Out.

The Trust Has Purchased a Vast Tract of Land Along the Lake Shore Near Conneaut, Ohio. No Change in the Strike Situation.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Conneaut, Ohio, Aug. 17.---The United States Steel Trust now owns five thousand acres east of this place. The plot is four miles long and a mile wide on the lake shore. This is the strongest indication yet presented that the trust means to do business on the lake shore. It is stated that a twelve million dollar tube works will be built and the National Tube company's plant which the trust threatens to remove from McKeesport will be absorbed in the Conneaut plant.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—Up to noon no decided change has been reported in the steel strike situation.

THE STRIKERS

Made Hopeful by the Action of the Joliet Workmen.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—The center of interest in the steel strike shifted to the west Friday, where Joliet swung into line with the strikers, and Milwaukee appointed Saturday as the time for a final vote on the question.

The news that came out of the west cheered the strikers throughout the districts in this vicinity as no other development since the labor war was declared. In their enthusiasm they counted on favorable action at Milwaukee and carried their hopes still farther by saying they will yet win Chicago over. These successes, they declare with apparent confidence, will make them masters of the situation and win the strike.

The steel operators on the other hand say that the strikers are nearly at the floodtide of their success, and that when the ebb comes it can never be stopped. They do not seem to be disturbed by recent events, and with a confidence equal to that of the strikers talk of the certainty of ultimate success. They assert that popular sentiment has never been behind the strikers and that the general interest once aroused by the contest is quickly waning. They claim they are more than holding their own in the nonunion plants that were unaffected or have been started since the strike began, and are perfecting plans for reopening several plants now idle. They also claim that many of their men, particularly at McKeesport, Wheeling and Bellaire, were forced out by intimidation, and will come back as soon as the ecitement dies out, and their safety is assured.

Talk of peace has been dropped for the time being, and it is agreed that in its present aspects the situation indicates a long and stubborn fight.

The 200 men employed in the National galvanizing works of the National tube works at McaKesport struck Friday. They were the last remaining workmen in the affected trades in that city, and the tie-up is now as complete as possible there. Many of the tube workers, although on strike, have refused to join any union, officials that there will be a break among the strikers. The leaders have planned another rally for tonight to re-enthuse the men and check any break that may be possible. The organizers are working indefatigably to keep the men in line. They are also extending their operations to Duquesne and Homestead, the two great strongholds of the Carnegie company, and claim to be gaining ground at both places. The recent gains here and at Joliet will bring the total men brought out by the final call of President Shaffer to about 80,000, and press the grand total to something over 70,000. Thousands of the men out have found other work, and the exact number now idle is unknown. The Amalgamated Association is organizing a series of employment bureaus and plans to place many more of the idle men. President Shaffer announced that after Sept. 1 idle Amalgamated men would receive benefits of $4 a week apiece, and that some provision will be made for men outside the organization who are on strike.

Situation at Joliet.

Joliet, Ills., Aug. 17.—When the 2,500 employes of the Illinois Steel company, constituent company of the United States Steel corporation, joined the ranks of the strikers Friday, the streets of this city took on a holiday appearance. All the Illinois steel mills are closed except the blast furnace. There are on strike in this city now: Illinois Steel company, 2,500; American Tin Plate company, 500; Pressed Steel Car company, 500. By the closing down of the Illinois works, idleness for lack of material is almost certain to come upon the following within a week: American Steel and Wire company, 2,000; Joliet stove works, 500; Phoenix Horseshoe company, 500; miscellaneous, 250. There was no disorder whatever. The strike leaders and company officials were equally reticent. General Superintendent Sheldon of the Illinois Steel company said plans are being formulated which will probably put a new phase on the situation. What those plans are he refused to say.

Prospect at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Aug. 17.—The members of Bayview lodge of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers will finally decide tonight whether or not they will obey the strike order of President Shaffer. The chances seem to favor a strike, the sentiment in that direction seeming to have gained strength since the men at Joliet decided to go out. Should the men decide to remain at work and their charter is revoked, the matter will be taken up at the next national convention for settlement.

FAMINE

With Great Loss of Life Reported From Panay.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Manila, Aug. 17.—Famine attended with dreadful loss of life from starvation is reported from the Island of Panay. Hunger has driven many of tribes to desperation and there is much lawlessness. At Capise, a small province on the north side of Panay, 130 persons are reported to have died of starvation. The government officials here will take immediate measures to relieve the distressed.

The Weather.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Ohio, rain tonight and probably Sunday; slightly cooler tonight.

Grain Market.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Closing September wheat 71¼; corn 58⅝; oats 36; pork 14.07.

Live Stock Market.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Cattle none; hogs 14,000, closed weak; sheep 2,000, steady.

HARD FIGHTING

Necessary to Subdue the Flames

That Threatened to Destroy the Twenty-three Million Dollar City Hall.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Philadelphia, Aug. 17.—The twenty-three million dollar city hall was menaced by a fire which started in the battery room electric bureau this morning. The fire was subdued after hard fighting. The fire alarm and police telegraph system was so seriously damaged that for hours the city was at the mercy of any fire that might start as no alarm could be given.

THE IOWA

Receives Orders to Proceed to Panama at Once.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The navy department at the desire of the state department this morning ordered the Iowa to proceed at once from San Francisco to Panama. She has on board 455 sailors, sixty marines and 15 officers.

UNDER

The Name of a Dead Soldier

An Aged Crook

Secured Both a Home and a Pension.

Wasn't Satisfied With His Luck and Applied for an Increase.

Then the Authorities Discovered That He was Representing Himself as a Man Who Died in 1864.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 17.—Not satisfied with a pension of $8 a month and the assurance of a home for the rest of his life, Peter Riley, 76 years old, of New York, who has been an inmate of the National Soldiers Home at Hampton, Va., for three years, applied for an increase of pension. An investigation showed that he had secured his pension and had gained admittance by impersonating Peter Riley, of Co. B, Tenth regiment, New York volunteers, who died in a New York hospital in 1864. Riley was arrested last night by U. S. authorities and today was committed to the Norfolk jail to await action of the Federal Grand Jury.

CUNARDER

Got a Terrible Pounding in a Voyage

Across the Atlantic. Encounters Stiff Gale.

A Panic Prevailed When a Huge Tidal Wave Swept the Vessel from Stem to Stern.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

New York, Aug. 17.—Captain McKay, of the Cunarder Lucania, reports that he encountered hard weather in mid-Atlantic early in the week. Gales and high seas prevailed and the steamer got a terrible pounding. Monday evening a huge wave, which some of the passengers say, was the tidal wave, hit the ship and swept her from stem to stern. The passengers were momentarily panic stricken. They were thrown about the saloon, second cabin and steerage in all directions, and many received severe bruises.

DICK

And His Old Enemy Get Together

AndtheClamps

Are Put to the Latter With Glee.

"Fire Alarm" Foraker's Phenomenal Wealth an Important Feature

That Dick and Hanna Do Not Intend to Overlook in This Campaign—Political News from the State Capitol.

Columbus, O., Aug. 17.—Senator Foraker's visit to Columbus Tuesday and Wendnesday of this week, when he conferred with Governor Nash, Chairman Dick and his friend and former manager, Charles L. Kurtz, practically settled the time and place of formally opening the Republican campaign. The place will be Delaware, where Foraker graduated as a student of Ohio Wesleyan University, and the time the third week in September.

A more important matter, however, is said to have come up between Dick and the senior senator: namely, the size of Senator Foraker's contribution to the Hanna campaign fund. Dick wants money this year as much as ever he did, and in view of the facts that this is largely Foraker's fight and that the senator is now amply able to fatten the Republican coffers with a contribution that will put all his donations of past years combined in the shade, the chairman is inclined to force the senator to "fork over" and will not take no for an answer.

This raises the interesting question of the size and source of Senator Foraker's present fortune. "Where did you get it?" is a question he has never answered, but not wholly on account of its impudence. It is a well known fact among the senator's friends that he left the governorship actually a poor man. His first legal fee after that event is said, on the highest authority, to have come to him as a Godsend, relieving immediate and pressing needs. Since his election to the senatorship, however, even his most intimate friends have been amazed at the evidences of his accumulated wealth which seems to have rained down upon him from some mysterious source during the past six years. The house he owns and occupies in Washington is a veritable palace. In a city conspicuous for palatial residences and noted for extravagance of those who occupy them, it has been picked out by the newspaper and magazine writers with surprising unanimity as one of the first evidences of high living and quick money making among the millionaires, both in public life and out of it, of the national capital. The Forakers entertain lavishly and maintain an establishment out of all proportion to a senator's salary. They also travel extensively, living abroad quite as expensively as they do at home. The appointments of the Washington residence are princely, the Foraker's livery is a veritable "top-notcher" in a city noted for its elegant equipages and the entertainments provided in the senatorial home are on a most ambitious scale, fully satisfying the desire of the mistress of the house to be a "society leader" where it costs piles of money annually to wear that title. In every detail the senator's social life is patterned after that of the multi-millionaire whose income has a tangible source: and yet Senator Foraker, while serving his country for $5,000 a year and incidentally practicing law without appearing in cases that have attracted great attention either by reason of their value from the standpoint of the news gatherer or on account of the large interests involved in them, has in six years acquired the fortune which is the basis of his own and his family's present mode of living.

It is no wonder that Dick regards this frugal statesman as a fit subject for the bleeding process so essential to the conduct of Republican campaigns in Ohio. Americans are daily witnesses to the fortunes quickly made in oil, in mining, in railroad and other speculation; but out of politics—that is a very different proposition. Dick thinks, and perhaps rightly, that a man who has become a millionaire while serving six years in the senate owes something to the school of politics that made his employment in that capacity possible. It is on account of what Dick and Hanna think and know in regard to Senator Foraker's money making propensities that he will have to put up the cash for his re-election in accordance with their dictates. It is a "hold-up" but one in which both the victim and the bandit have a perfect understanding.

Foraker realizes that he is largely in the hands of his enemies this year, with Hanna and Dick in control of affairs, and will be forced to offset this, as far as possible, with an independent organization. This will be operated in part from Cincinnati and in part from the offices of Charles L. Kurtz in this city. It is safe to say that the campaign upon which the senator will place the most reliance will not be conducted from Republican state headquarters.

No progress has been made and none attempted at Democratic state headquarters in regard to the formal opening of the campaign. Bucyrus and Columbus are the leading candidates for the honor, but there is nothing to prevent any other section of the state from making a lively bid for it.

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KING EDWARD

Framed Excuses for the War Continuance.

He Tells the House of Commons of the Difficulties Encountered in the Campaign.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

London, Aug. 17.—King Edward prorogued parliament today. He thanked the house of commons for the money grants to the crown and among other things expressed satisfaction for additions to his title. He excuses the continuance of the South African war by pointing out the difficulties encountered and the extent of the country in which it is being waged.

Smallpox Epidemic.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Sharon, Pa., Aug. 17.—At Orangeville, Trumbull county, an epidemic of smallpox has broken out and scores of the people exposed before nature of the disease was known.

SILK

Invoices Have Been Seized.

Custom House

Frauds are Now Being Unearthed.

Names of the Guilty Consignees are Withheld by the Officer.

Only Two Shipments Out of Fifteen in Which the Weight of the Imported Silks was Accurately Given.

New Yor, Aug. 17.—The investigation into the alleged fraudulent practices in the importation of Japanese silks, has thus far resulted in the seizure of two invoices of goods under the provision of law that all goods shall be seized if the value is advanced more than 50 per cent beyond the invoice value. At the public stores the names of the consignees could not be learned, that being a matter entirely in the discretion of the collector of the port.

Collector Bidwell, assisted by Deputy Collector Phelps of the law division, spent the greater part of Friday examining 15 cases shipped direct from Japan. In only two instances out of the 15 is the weight of these silks said to have corresponded with the weight named in the invoices.

It was said at the custom house that the authorities there absolved Appraiser Wakeman of all blame, as his part in the examination of these invoices was largely of a nominal character. It will be necessary before the collector takes final action to make a careful analysis of the silk contained in the 15 cases, as the import tax on this class of goods ranges from 90 cents to $3 per pound.

MORE

Infamous Grows the Dark Plot

Of the Enemies

Who are Attempting to Villify Schley.

The Admiral was Warned by One of His Friends This Morning

That His Enemies are Preparing to Charge That He was Intoxicated During the Santiago Naval Battle.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Aug. 17.—A new charge will be presented against Admiral Schley at the court of inquiry. His enemies, it is said, will attempt to prove that he was intoxicated during the battle of Santiago. The Admiral was warned by one of his friends this morning that this startling attack would be made upon his character.

Mrs. Charlotte Smith, one of the most prominent workers in the Schley home fund enterprise, heard of the proposed drunkenness charge, and was the one who told him about it at Arlington this morning. "An officer of high rank is responsible for the story," said Mrs. Smith, after she had warned Admiral Schley to prepare for the new attack.

POLITICIAN

Is All Mixed Up With the Burglary

Of a Prominent Jewelry Store in Hamilton.

Brought Before Chicago's Chief of Police and Asked to Explain What He Knows About the Matter.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—State Senator Barney McGuire, whose private business is that of brewers agent was required to appear before Chief of Police O'Neill today to explain his connection with the robbery last week of Seidentecker's jewelry store in Hamilton, Ohio. McGuire admitted that a satchel was shipped to his care from Hamilton, and he believed it contained the proceeds of the robbery. He says he knew nothing about the burglary. An acquaintance, named Palmer asked that he might have the satchel shipped to the politican. Chief O'Neill says the pull of McGuire will not prevent the arrest of the Senator if the governor of Ohio issues a requisition for him.

IN A FEW MONTHS

Americans Will be Invited to Evacuate Cuba.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Havana, Aug. 17.—The constitutional convention has completed a draft of the new election law. The delegates will ask Americans to evacuate the island on February 24, next.

MASSACRE

Of Many People by the Kurds is Reported.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

London, Aug. 17.—A Constantinople dispatch printed here today says, that a band of Kurds has been raiding Damizra district, Armenia, and has destroyed about ten villages. All males, old women and children have been massacred, and the young women were carried off.

WHAT T' 'ELL.

If it Had Been Ohio Lima Would Have it Now.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

New York, Aug. 17.—A letter, mailed in Passaic Thursday, was addressed "Hell, N. J." After some discussion, was sent to Patterson and arrived there last night.

YOUTHFUL

Victim of Rheumatism Commits Suicide.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17.—Albert Wetzel, eleven year old, of Undercliff, deliberately killed himself by hanging, yesterday. He had inflamatory rheumatism and he told the neighbors if he did not get over it, he would kill himself.

SURPRISED

The Workmen of the Window Glass Co.

By Announcement That the Plants Would Light Fires Next Monday.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Muncie, Ind., Aug. 17.—Local officers of the American Window Glass Co., have received notice unofficially that fire will be lighted under the tanks of all factories in the United Stated next Monday, the plants to start September 16. The announcement is a great surprise to the workmen many of whom believed the factories would not start until the middle of November.

INSTANT DEATH

From Contact With Live Electric Light Wire.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Cincinnati, Aug. 17.—While trying to remove an electric wire that menaced the lives of children, patrolman John Schroeder was shocked and almost instantly killed here this morning. Schroeder saw an electric light wire hanging down into the street and cautiously started to remove it with his club. The club being damp, acted as a conductor and fully 500 volts of electricity shot into the policeman's body. His head was horribly burned.

DARED

Her Lover to Carry Out His Threat to Kill Her.

She Provided Him With a Revolver and He Sent a Bullet Through Her Heart.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 17.—Jim Bennett, a mulatto, quarrelled with his mistress, Budie Stone last night and threatened to kill her but said he had no weapon. She dared him to carry out his threat and brought him a revolver. He shot her through the heart, killing her instantly.

NOT SO SERIOUS

Is the Damage as at First Reported.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

New Orleans, Aug. 17.—As a result of the great storm a New Orleans and vicinity, the loss of six lives by drowning, is reported. The damage to the rice and orange crop is not so serious as at first reported.

TEXAS TRADEGY.

A Bride of a Few Months Found Murdered.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Ft. Worth, Tex., Aug. 17.—Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, aged 19, a bride of a few months, was found dead at her home near Sherman this morning. She had been criminally assaulted, her head split open with an ax, and her throat cut from ear to ear. A party is searching for a suspected negro and he will be lynched if caught.

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FRIENDS IN NEED.

Townsmen of Thompson Will Keep Him Out of Prison.

Indianapolis, Aug. 17.—The Indianapolis friends of Edward P. Thompson, former postmaster here and at Havana, Cuba, say they will pay his fine of $460 before they will see him sent to prison. His friends here have been in communication with other friends in Cuba for several months, and say that whatever he may need will be given him there, at least temporarily, when his friends here may be called on.

The impression here is that Thompson's fine was intended by the government as much for an object lesson to postmasters of the country as it was a punishment for him, that the fine will be remitted and that he will be free to return home.

Rescued From Lynchers.

New Orleans, Aug. 17.—The governor's guards, 30 strong, reached home, having in custody James Dunning, the negro who was saved from would-be lynchers at Sardis. The company stood guard with fixed bayonets in the jail while the mob hooted and howled on the outside. This is the first time in Mississippi that the militia has rescued a negro from would-be lynchers. Governor Longino extended his congratulations to the company.

Hitch About the Contract.

Cincinnati, Aug. 17.—Quigley & Co., contractors, who bought the $1,000,000 contract from Henkel & Sullivan, to whom it was awarded by the waterworks commissioners for the construction of new reservoirs, discharged their employes indefinitely and stopped all work, owing to a dispute with the commissioners regarding the manner in which they were conducting the work.

Wanted in Germany.

Milwaukee, Aug. 17.—Detectives arrested Gerhardt Terlinden, alias Theodore Grafe, at a boarding house. Terlinden is charged with embezzling 1,500,000 marks from a large manufacturing concern in Germany, which is capitalized at 12,000,000 marks. Terlinden, it is alleged, duplicated the concern's stock, had it stamped and sealed and sold it.

Bethlehem Deal Confirmed.

Philadelphia, Aug. 17.—President Joseph Wharton of the Bethlehem Steel company gave out a statement in which he said that C. M. Schwab of the United States Steel corporation will in a few days take charge of the Bethlehem Steel company.

Saloon Shooting Scrape.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 17.—William J. McNamara, a former magistrate of this city, was shot and killed by John Meagher, a saloon clerk. McNamara attacked Meagher and tried to put him out of the saloon.

Goaded by Family Troubles.

Ashtabula, O., Aug. 17.—M. S. Morehouse, proprietor of the Arlington House, attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head. He will probably die. Family trouble is said to have been the cause.

Crushed Under an Engine.

Warren, O., Aug. 17.—J. P. McCullough of Warren, yardmaster of the Pittsburg and Wheeling railroad at Deforest, was killed under an engine. He leaves a wife and four children.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Aug. 16.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice dry fed steers, 1,200 lbs. and upwards, $4 85@5 00; good to choice dry fed steers, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 60@4 75; green half fat, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $4 00@4 25; green half fat, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $3 75@4 00; good to choice heifers, $4 25@4 50; fair to good, $3 50@4 00; cows, common to choice, $2 00@3 50; bulls, good to choice, $3 00@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wether sheep, $3 75@3 85; fair to good, $3 50@3 65; good mixed sheep, $3 40@3 60; culls and commons, $2 00@3 00; spring lambs, good to choice, $5 00@5 25; fair to good, $4 00@4 75. Calves—Fair to best, $6 00@6 75. Hogs—Mediums and heavies, $6 10; Yorkers, $5 85@5 90.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $5 60@6 40; poor to medium, $3 75@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 10@4 25; cows, $2 50@4 35; heifers, $2 50@5 25; canners, $1 40@2 50; bulls, $2 25@4 45; Texas steers, $3 40@5 00; western steers, $4 00@5 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $3 60@4 00; fair to choice mixed, $3 00@3 50; western sheep, $3 25@4 00; yearlings, $3 40@4 25; native lambs, $3 00@5 40; western lambs, $4 00@5 25. Calves—$3 25@5 75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 60@6 17½; good to choice heavy, $5 65@6 20; rough heavy, $5 50@5 60; light, $5 50@6 00. Wheat—No. 2 red, 71½@72c. Corn—No. 2, 58½@58¾c. Oats—No. 2, 30½c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 60@5 75; prime, $5 35@5 50; good, $5 10@5 30; tidy butchers, $4 75@5 00; grassy kind, $3 50@4 25; heifers, $3 60@4 50; cows, stags and bulls, $2 00@4 00; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $3 90@4 00; good, $3 60@3 80; fair, $3 25@3 50; yearlings, $3 00@4 25; choice lambs, $5 25@5 50; common to good, $3 00@5 00. Hogs—Prime heavy, $6 17½@6 20; mediums, $6 12½@6 15; heavy Yorkers, $6 10@6 12½; light Yorkers, $6 00@6 05; pigs, $5 80@5 90.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Choice and best exporters, $5 65@5 80; good to fair, $5 25@5 50; shipping, $5 00@5 20; butchers, $4 25@4 75; cows, $3 25@4 30; heifers, fair to good, $3 00@4 50; bulls, $3 00@3 25; good exporters, $4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 50@5 75; fair to good, $5 00@5 25; common and poor thin stuff, $2 25@3 75; mixed sheep, $4 75@4 00; ewes and wethers to best, $3 25@3 50; culls, thin sheep and bucks, $2 00@2 75. Hogs—Pigs, $5 80@5 85; Yorkers, $6 10; medium heavy, $6 15@6 20; heavy, $6 22@6 25.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Common to prime steers, $3 90@5 65; fat stags, $4 30@4 75; bulls, $2 80@3 65; medium cows, $2 00. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 75; culls, $2 50; lambs, $4 00@4 12½; culls, $3 50. Calves—Veals, $5 00@7 75. Hogs—Good western, $6 00; coarse rough western, $5 90; grassers, $5 25; state, $4 30. Wheat—No. 2 red, 77½c. Corn—No. 2, 63c. Oats—No. 2, 40c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 73½@74c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 61½@62c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 37½@38c. Rye—No. 2, 62c. Lard—$8 60. Bulk Meats—$8 37½. Bacon—9 37½. Hogs—$4 00@6 65. Cattle—$2 00@5 25. Sheep—$1 50@4 25. Lambs—$2 00@5 50.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 73½c; corn, 60c; oats, 36½c; rye, 59½c; cloverseed, $6 22½.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 21@22c. Eggs—Fresh, 15@16c.

FARMING IN ALASKA.

Agricultural Resources of Uncle Sam's Arctic Territory.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The census bureau issued a report on the agricultural statistics for Alaska, which shows that Alaska's total farm wealth June 1, 1901, was $15,686, of which $2,196 was invested in live stock, $690 in implements and machinery and $12,800 represented the value of buildings and other improvements. Buildings have been erected on nine of the 12 farms in the territory. Preparing soil for cultivation has been the chief item of expense in opening farms, being in some instances $120 per acre. The 12 farms have a total acreage of 159 acres, and vegetables are the principal products. Five of the farms are only small market gardens of less than three acres. The total value of domestic animals and poultry was $2,196. Potatoes and turnips furnished the principal income from vegetables. Next to vegetables grass cut for hay and ensilage is the most important agricultural product. From the standpoint of income upon capital invested poultry raising in 1899 was relatively the most profitable branch of Alaskan agriculture.

Miles at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Aug. 17.—Lieutenant General Miles, accompanied by Mrs. Miles and Lieutenant Colonel Whitney, his aide-de-camp, arrived here and will remain 10 days or two weeks. General Miles visited the exposition today—army day—escorted to the grounds by the West Point cadets and the two local regiments of the national guard. He will attend the meetings of the Spanish war veterans Aug. 23 and the Porto Rico society Aug. 26-27, and later the meeting of the board of ordnance and fortifications.

Encountered a Fluke.

New York, Aug. 17.—The Constitution drifted across the finish line late in the afternoon a winner over the Columbia by 31 minutes and 23 seconds. This difference in time, however, does not represent the difference in speed between the two yachts. A very large part of the big margin was entirely due to a fluke in the light airs, while the boats were sailing the second round of the triangular course of 15 miles.

To Probe Kentucky For Oil.

Bluefield, W. Va., Aug. 17. — The Swan Lake Oil company, with capital of $200,000, and the Green River Development company, with a capital of $100,000, have been formed here within the past two days. The charters were obtained under the laws of West Virginia. The companies will bore for oil in Kentucky, where they have secured 700 acres of land in Green river oil basin.

Brewery Burned.

Defiance, O., Aug. 17.— The Chris Diehl Brewing company's plant suffered a destructive conflagration when the office, bottling rooms and wash rooms of the plant were totally destroyed. The loss is over $2,000, fully covered by insurance. The burned structure will be replaced at once by a fine new office building of brick and stone.

Died During a Voyage.

Colon, Colombia, Aug. 17.—Francois Morll, a first-class torpedoist on board the French second class cruiser Suchet, died during the voyage between Martinique and Colon. Many French residents of Colon attended the funeral service and the interment at Mount Hope cemetery.

Ranger Sails For the Isthmus.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 17.—The Ranger, which was ordered to Panama, has sailed for the isthmus. She was fully coaled for a week in expectation of receiving orders for her departure.

Iowa Ordered to Panama.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The navy department has decided to send the battleship Iowa to Panama as soon as she can be prepared for the trip.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Results of the Games Played in the Several Leagues.

AMERICAN.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chica...	61	36	.629	Phila ..	48	48	.500
Bost....	57	40	.577	Cleve...	40	52	.435
Balto...	52	41	.559	Wash...	38	54	.413
Det't ..	51	45	.531	Milw ..	35	63	.357

At Baltimore—Baltimore 1, Cleveland 0.
At Boston—Boston 6, Chicago 2.
At Washington—Washington 1, Detroit 5.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 10, Milwaukee 2.

NATIONAL.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Pitts ..	54	35	.607	Bost....	46	48	.490
Phila ..	55	40	.577	N. Y....	38	51	.427
St. L....	55	43	.561	Cin'ti..	38	54	.413
Brook ..	52	44	.542	Chica...	36	61	.384

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Boston 1.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 4, New York 1.

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G'd R...	62	42	.596	Matth's.	53	52	.505
Toledo..	55	43	.561	Wheel'g.	47	50	.484
Ft. W...	59	49	.546	Mar'n...	42	52	.404
Day'n...	55	48	.534	Cols....	39	66	.371

At Toledo—Toledo 10, Grand Rapids 3.
At Wheeling—Wheeling 5, Dayton 4.
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At Saratoga—Lady Sterling, Nitrate, The Bachelor, Geraldine, Cayhoy.
At St. Louis—Fufo, Attelle, Kiss Quick, Menace, Tickful, Randazzo.
At Chicago—Capt. Hamm, Jack Ratlin, Ellen D'Or, Federal, Julia Junkin, Hartland.
At Brighton Beach—Harness: 2:18 trot, $1,500, Iva Dee, b. m., second, fifth and sixth heats, Juno T. first heat and distanced in fifth, Maurine third and fourth, 2:12¼; in second heat; 3-year-old trot, $2,000, Nellie Bean first heat and distanced in second, Howelian second heat, Carrie Bell, b. f., next three, 2:14¼, in fourth heat; 2:08 pace, unfinished, Marina Marshall and Dan Patch one heat each.

PEACHES ABOUND HERE

How St. Elmo's Peach King Will Gather His Crop.

NOVEL QUARTERS FOR EMPLOYEES

Women Will Live in Large Tent Surrounded by Numerous Small Tents. High Barbed Wire Fence Will Surround Their Headquarters. How the Fruit Will Be Handled.

To be convinced that "Peach King" McNair deserves his title one need only visit his great farm at St. Elmo and take a look at the preparations that have been made to handle the peach crop, says the Kansas City Journal. New buildings have been erected, tents put up and packing sheds built all over the vast orchard.

At St. Elmo, two miles below Koshkonong, the headquarters of Mr. McNair have been established. This is right in the center of his immense orchard of 1,900 acres, all planted in peaches. To handle the fruit Mr. McNair will need about 800 hands, the West Plains Gazette says, and he will pay 7 cents per hour for men and 6 cents an hour to the women, with their meals and lodging thrown in. Superintendents and foremen will receive more pay. About 50 expert packers will be imported, and they will see that the peaches are properly packed.

A large tent around which numerous small tents are pitched will be the quarters for the women. A barbed wire fence 16 feet high and the wires only a few inches apart has been erected around the women's headquarters. Mr. McNair certainly isn't going to allow any lovemaking around his camp.

The men will be quartered in the barracks which were used last year and which have been enlarged. Bunks several tiers high have been put in the barracks in order that the men can be accommodated. A big tent with several long tables placed inside will be used as an eating house. Every seat at each table will be numbered, and the men and women will each have a number, so that they can find their respective places at the tables. Thirty cooks will provide the grub necessary for his large army of fruit handlers.

Exactly 75 double deck wagons have been provided for handling the fruit from the trees to the packing houses at St. Elmo. Ten thousand picking baskets are already at the farm, together with material enough for 200 cars of peaches. One-half of this box material has already been put together ready for packing to begin.

Mr McNair has bought most all of the peach crop in Koshkonong. He expects to ship from 10 to 20 cars of fruit each day until the season is over. If the rains continue for a few days, his crop will be immense, and the company will make a fortune.

DEEPENING SUEZ CANAL.

Plans to Increase Largely the Efficiency of the Great Highway.

The administrators of the Suez canal have begun the work of deepening the channel to 31 feet with a view to make it available to larger shipping, says the New York Sun. Vessels of great tonnage were unknown at the time the canal was opened in 1859, and the thoroughfare cannot be used by the enormous ships of today.

Vessel owners find that they cannot carry freight for long distances on comparatively small ships, even at high freight rates, so profitably as on larger vessels. Commerce has for years needed a deeper channel, and the fact that there has been very little gain in annual tonnage for the past two years is attributed to lack of accommodations for larger shipping.

The draft of vessels now passing through the canal is limited to 25 feet 7 inches. The improvements under way will permit vessels drawing 29 feet to pass safely from sea to sea. At present both the Kaiser Wilhelm and the Amsterdam canals admit larger vessels than the Suez canal. The improvement will place the Suez canal a little ahead of the others mentioned in the size of vessel it will carry, the increased depth probably sufficing for ships in the oriental trade for years to come.

It is also contemplated to light the 101 miles of the canal with electricity, so that all shipping may pass through in the nightime. It is not certain, however, that this illumination will be provided at once, and there seems to be no imperative need for it at present, as 90 per cent of the ships using the canal are now provided with electric headlights and are therefore permitted to pass through at night. This improvement has considerably reduced the time of passage, which now averages about 15 hours and 40 minutes.

A New Humorist In the Field.

At one of the recent sessions of the British congress on tuberculosis Professor von Schrotter, the representative of Austria, described the Berlin congress on tuberculosis of 1896 as having "exceeded the most sanguine expectorations," says the Chicago Record-Herald. The Americans present commenced laughing immediately, but up to the hour of going to press the Austrian and the English professors were still wondering what the joke was.

Bullet Proof Board.

Bullet proof millboard is one of the latest novelties, and it comes from Sweden. A bullet from a carbine capable of going through five inches of wood could not pierce the millboard, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. A projectile from a machine gun went through it, but the inventor is confident of making his new substance even more resisting, so that a succession of layers would form a protecting wall for fortifications.

Salt Rheum

You may call it eczema, tetter or milk crust.

But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches that burn, itch, discharge a watery matter, dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system.

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Go with the Red Men to Cincinnati. On Sunday, August 18th the Red Men will run an excursion to Cincinnati via the C. H. & D., train leaving Lima at 2:10 and 6:50 a. m. Rate $1.75.

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SECOND ANNUAL EXCURSION.

The United Brethren church will run their second annual Labor Day excursion to Detroit via the Detroit Southern Ry., Monday, September 2d. Special train will leave Wayne street station at 6:05 a. m. and reach Detroit at 11:30 a. m. The lowest fare of the season will be used and the church invites all their friends to join them in the day's outing at Detroit and beautiful Belle Isle. Tickets can be purchased in advance of the pastor, Rev. L. C. Reed; R. M. Robbins, north Main street; C. A. Newman, 607 east Elm street, or G. E. Robinson, agent for Detroit Southern Ry. 59-6

Mr. Daniel Bantz, Otterville, Ia., says: "Have had asthma and a very bad cough for years, but could get no relief from the doctors and medicines I tried, until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It gave immediate relief, and done me more good than all the other remedies combined."

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One fare round trip to Mt. Vernon, Ohio, via Ohio Central Lines, account of State Camp Meeting. Tickets on sale from all points in Ohio, August 9th to 23d, 1901. d&wtt

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To Colorado, Utah, South Dakota and Minnesota.

Commencing June 18th, and every day following until Sept. 10th inclusive, agents of the Ohio Central Lines will sell special low rate summer excursion tickets to points in Colorado, Utah, South Dakota and Minnesota. Tickets good returning until October 31st, 1901.

Ask agents of Ohio Central lines for rates and full particulars. d&w-tt

Nerves Like a Flat-Iron.

A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by W. M. Melville.

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Wm. Finn, of Lima, O., obtained excellent results from the use of Foley's Kidney Cure. "It relieved my backache and severe pain over the hips. It toned my system new vim and energy. It is an honest and reliable remedy, a sure cure for all kidney diseases."

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THE KAISER IN COTTON.

Success of German Experiments In Africa.

AMERICAN NEGROES EMPLOYED.

Four Experts Secured by Germany From Tuskegee Institute to Start a Cotton Plantation in Togoland. Possibility of Rivaling United States—Solution of Race Problem.

Germany is making an interesting experiment in raising cotton in her African possessions, says the New York Sun. According to statistics, of the state department, Germany imported from the United States in 1899 1,168,351 bales of cotton, for which she paid $37,407,809, and in 1900 this had increased to 1,483,482 bales, costing Germany $68,922,915. This was nearly a seventh of the total American product.

Now it happens that Germany has an African dominion amounting to 925,000 square miles, which is a third larger than the total area of the cotton producing states, 670,415 square miles. This African territory is said to be fertile, well watered and not too hot for cotton. Hence, it is apparent that Germany might become the rival of the United States in growing cotton if she could overcome difficulties which are usual in introducing new crops and could also protect the health of those who are to serve as pioneers. Then Africa possesses a labor supply that adds to its cheapness, docility and great endurance.

As early as 1850 cotton was introduced and raised successfully on the slave coast of Africa. During the civil war the price of cotton became so high that English merchants of Manchester raised a fund to encourage the cultivation of cotton in west Africa, hoping to rival the United States. Nothing came of this project, however.

The former efforts to grow cotton in Africa have been made with white men who do not thrive in the torrid zone. Emperor William, acting upon the advice of some merchants and a consul in the United States, decided to make the experiment with descendants of Africans in the United States who are expert cotton growers and for whom the climate would present less danger than it would for white men. Therefore a year ago Booker T. Washington was asked to name for this service three of his expert graduates from the Tuskegee institute and also a capable negro to serve as superintendent.

J. N. Calloway, born in Tennessee, a graduate from Fisk university and for ten years instructor in agriculture in Tuskegee institute, was selected as superintendent. A salary that would make a politician smile was given him, besides all his expenses. Sheppard L. Harris, John Robinson and Allen Burke, all graduates of the Tuskegee institute and each knowing well several trades, including architecture, carpentry, agriculture, blacksmithing and dairying, were the assistants chosen. Their salaries were also good. They all know all about cotton raising.

The greatest secrecy has been enjoined about this enterprise. The persons engaged in it have been forbidden to relate any facts about their operations, but from special sources of information it has been learned that great success is being attained and that other skilled negro farmers will be quietly taken to start other plantations.

The region of the present experiment is Togoland, north of the gulf of Guinea, and the scene of the American slave trade. Togoland is the smallest of the four German territories. The others, Kamerun and German Southwest Africa, on the west coast, and German East Africa, on the east coast, besides being larger are more temperate in climate. Togoland is about 400 miles north of the equator and lies between the Gold Coast on the west, which is a dependency of Great Britain, and Dahomey on the east, which is under France. The area is 33,000 square miles, a little larger than South Carolina, and the estimated population is 2,500,000. On June 20, 1899, the European population was 118, of whom 113 were Germans.

Togoland was declared a German protectorate in 1884, and is governed by an imperial commissioner, assisted by a secretary, an inspector of customs and a committee of local merchants. The town of Togo has a population of 8,000, and the military and police service consists of seven Germans and 250 natives. Maize, yams, tapioca, ginger and bananas are cultivated to some extent by the natives, most of whom are of the Ewe race. Cocoa, oil palms, caoutchouc and dyewoods grow in the forests. Two cable connections with Europe have been established. Togoland imported in 1900 $810,927 in goods, the largest single item being cotton fabrics.

A brief account of the efforts of the American pioneers can be given here. Superintendent Calloway bought in New York plows, hoes, cotton planters, a cotton gin, a press and American cotton seed, ties, etc., and sailed with them on Nov. 3, 1900, reaching Togoland nearly two months later after a brief stay in Germany. The following letter has reached Tuskegee institute and will be read with interest, as it sums up the present situation:

Lome, Togo, West Africa, May 15.

Mr. Booker T. Washington:

My Dear Principal—We left America, as you know, on Nov. 3, 1900, for the above named place. After many hardships on the ocean we at last got to the long looked for place, where we are and are still seeing strange things.

As to my work here: I am getting along very well. I find it very hard, however, to get material to work with. This country, like all other unsettled countries, is yet without modern machinery. The sawmill, the cotton gin and, in fact, all modern machinery are yet to be introduced. Some of this machinery we hope to have in operation before our time is out here.

When we reached Lome, we thought we were at the end of our journey, but we had yet 100 miles to go in the "bush," as they call it out here. It may sound hard, but we had to walk this distance, carrying with us such things as we thought would supply our needs until we could get settled. The trip was made in four days. By the 14th of January we had about settled where our farm should be. We began work, clearing away with the help of the natives, and in a short while the site for our new home was selected.

We have cleared away more than 100 acres of land, and a part of the same is planted in cotton, corn, peanuts and other things, and some of the cotton has more fruit on it now than many of the farmers will make on their whole crop in America. There is no doubt about the growing of cotton here, for it has been demonstrated already. Six months ago men passed this place without paying any attention to it, for it was nothing but a field of bushes and elephant grass, but today one is attracted by the number of buildings, the growing of cotton and other products, also the pulling of the plows by horses and men guiding them.

While Mr. Burke and Mr. Robinson are busy with their farm I am at work trying to get the ginhouse ready to gin the cotton when it is gathered. I find the natives like to work and will work if they get plenty of "chop" (food), as they call it, but they are not able to do much hard work; they soon give out. I remain, yours truly,

S. L. HARRIS.

Superintendent Calloway writes:

"The natives do not differ very much from the uneducated negro of the black belt in the south. I believe the Africans have a better disposition. Color is about the same. If I did not know that I was in Africa I could easily believe myself in Alabama. The natives are just as anxious to have clothes and to be educated as American negroes. Many of them want to come to America. They do not seem to be lazy, but they cannot do a great deal of work on the food they now eat, which is principally rice. There is at Lome a native who runs a seven room boarding house. He also conducts a large business for a German who lives in Berlin."

Whether or not Germany succeeds in becoming a rival to the United States in cotton raising, some Afro-Americans believe that the German emperor has pointed the way to solve the American negro problem. There are thousands of expert cotton farmers among southern negroes, and if encouraged by offers of transportation and subsistence till their start in Africa is made, they would readily leave the black belt and the congested districts of the United States.

"GREAT COLOMBIA" PLAN.

Said to Have Been Originated Owing to Fear of Chilean Aggression.

Inquiries concerning the significance of General Uribe-Uribe's proclamation announcing his purpose to reconstruct "Great Colombia" have brought out an interesting theory as to the real policies underlying the Colombia-Venezuela imbroglio says a special despatch from Washington to the New York Times. It is to the effect that the republics of the northern part of South America, which are small, weak, and torn by internal dissensions, are beginning to realize how powerless they would be in the event of the rise of a conquering and empire seeking power in South America. Ecuador and Venezuela are said to have realized this much more fully than Colombia, and to have come to the conclusion that the first step toward the putting of the northern republics on a safe basis is the union of the entire northern coast by the reconstruction of "Great Colombia."

Talk about the imperial power in South America has been very freely indulged in of late years, and particularly in the last year, in view of the tremendous strides and menacing attitude of Chile. The fear of Chile has by no means been confined to Peru and Bolivia, though those republics were the first to feel her heavy hand, and are likely to be the first victims of a really imperialistic movement by Chile. There have been many and serious indications that the alarm has spread through the south, and it is not many months since there were reports of an attempt to form a defensive alliance against Chile among the republics of the south. This, of course, did not affect or particularly interest the northern republics.

But a few days ago indications began to appear that Chile was interesting herself in the Caribbean sea. There have been reports, never denied, that Chile was looking for a naval station and other evidences of an interest in northern affairs which Chile had never felt before. None of them was in any way hostile, and all could have been and were explained in a way entirely compatible with the friendliest intentions. Nevertheless, the northern republics were not entirely satisfied.

The attempt to revive "Great Colombia" by reuniting Colombia, Venezuela and Ecuador has followed. General Castro's government is said to have originated the proposition, and it is reported to meet with favor in Ecuador. Colombia has no wish to unite with her neighbors, and will resist any such proposition by force. Uribe-Uribe's slogan, "Great Colombia," is therefore considered significant in view of the current belief that Castro is backing him and that a war between the two republics is really on in the guise of a double revolution.

Queer Jewelry Fad.

Another man with jewelry found sewed on his breast has been found, says a dispatch from Wilkesbarre, Pa., to the Philadelphia Press. He was Paul Shirvell, recently killed in the mines. The jewelry consisted of chains, lockets and little silver dumbbells. A few weeks ago exactly similar decorations were found on the body of a man who committed suicide at White Haven. It is said that both belonged to some famous society in Russia. Russians say they are a dangerous branch of the nihilists.

Large Muffs to Be the Style Again.

This coming season brown furs will rank first, then black, gray and white, says the September Ladies' Home Journal. Long haired furs will be most used. Long boas with stole ends and large muffs will be much in evidence.

When You Eat

Do you have a feeling of undue fullness in the stomach, belchings, or sour or bitter risings? These are but a few of the symptoms of the diseased stomach.

The worst thing which can be done for the stomach in such a case is to take some tablet or powder which merely gives temporary relief from discomfort. The best thing to do is to begin the cure of the disease by beginning the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It makes the "weak" stomach strong, and puts the body in a condition of vigorous health.

"I was troubled a long time with dyspepsia, torpid liver, and constipation," writes Mr. Julius E. Deal, of Ostwalt, Iredell Co., N. C. "Could scarcely eat anything at all; would have attacks of pain something like colic, and sometimes it seemed as though I could not live. I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, stating my condition, and in a few days received a kind letter of advice, telling me to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took four bottles, and one vial of Dr. Pierce's Pellets, and now I can eat anything I want and it don't hurt me. I have not been to bed a day since I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and I have not since felt any symptoms of disease. I have not taken any medicine in twelve months."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

Blobbs—"That woman actually doesn't know enough to come in out of the rain." Slobbs—"Oh, yes she does, only she has a new rainy-day skirt on."

ROAD NOTICE.

Revised Statutes, Secs. 4951, 4[illegible].

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the commissioners of Allen county, at their next session, September A. D. 1901, praying for the location of a county road on the following line, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of section fourteen (14) town four (4), south range four (4) east Allen county, Ohio, in the center of Wilshire road running thence south on section line between sections 14 and 15 one half mile to the intersection of the county road, running east and west on the half section line of said section 15 and there terminate.

J. R. HANCE,
aug. 16 d&w4w Petitioner.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John T. Long, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of John T. Long, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D., 1901.

55-2w MICHAEL LONG.

ATTACHMENT.

Charlee H. Shappell, Plaintiff	Before W. E. Reilly, J. P., Ottawa Tp., Allen County, Ohio.
vs.	
Catharine Burden, Defendant.	

On the 10th day of July, A. D. 1901, said justice issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of seventy-four dollars and fourteen cents.

CHARLES H. SHAPPELL,
Plaintiff.
Lima, Ohio, July 31, 1901. th-5w

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, justice of the peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

Charles A. Hood, plaintiff,
against
The Beatty Starch Co., defendants.
In attachment.

On the 16th day of March, A. D., 1901, the above named Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of twenty-one dollars and eighty-eight cents.

CHARLES A. HOOD, Plaintiff.
Aug 7-3wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Wood County, Ohio, Probate Court.

Rose M. Nolan, guardian of Bridget M. Nolan, a lunatic, plaintiff,
vs.
Bridget M. Nolan et al., defendants.

In pursuance of an order of said court, heretofore made in the above entitled case, I, as said guardian, will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on August 24th, 1901, at eleven o'clock, forenoon:

Lot No. 16 of the subdivision of section 31, town 3 south of range seven (7) east, west of Main street, in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,200.00. To be sold at not less than two-thirds of said appraisement, one-third to be paid down, at the time of said sale, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years. Deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises, and to bear interest at six per cent., payable annually.

ROSE M. NOLAN,
Guardian of Bridget M. Nolan, a lunatic. july 21-4w

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Farewell Sermons to be Delivered by Rev. Mitchell Tomorrow.

Will Address the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in the Morning and the Modern Woodmen in the Evening.

Last night about 7:30 a horse driven by Misses Bessie Davis, and Grace Briggs, ran away on south Main street. In front of J. P. Jackson's, it came in contact with a vehicle occupied by Miss Rose Collins, and the venerable Mrs. Samuel Collins. The contact of the animals was forcible both horses being thrown to the ground. The young ladies were thrown from their carriage receiving a number of terrible bruises. They were taken into the Jackson home where two physicians relieved their sufferings. They were shortly sufficiently recovered to be removed to their respective homes. Miss Briggs was not badly hurt but upon thorough examination it was found Miss Davis had suffered a concussion of the skull. The buggy in which the young ladies were riding was badly demolished.

Mrs. Watkins, of west Kibby street, has gone to Indiana to visit friends.

Tomorrow morning at the south Lima Christian church, Rev. Mitchell will deliver a farewell sermon to Solar lodge of Odd Fellows, and Stella lodge of Rebekahs. In the evening he will deliver a discourse to the Modern Woodmen.

Tuesday evening the Choral society of the south Lima Christain church give an entertainment consisting of musical and elocutionary numbers. Watson's orchestra will discourse music during the evening.

Harry Crossman, who has been ill at the home of his grand mother on Harrisorn avenue ,was yesterday removed to his home at Uniopolis.

Mrs. Mary Gardner, who has been attending Mrs. William McCoy, during her illness, returned today to her Spencerville home.

Charles Cole and wife, of south Main street, will spend Sunday with friends at Celina.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carr on west Kibby street, are the happy parents of a pretty girl baby, who came to add gladness to their home yesterday.

Walter Priestep and Grover McCormick, are paying a visit to the home of E. L. Kraft, Sr., on east Kibby street.

William Hook, on west Vine street, is happy over the arrival of a lusty boy at his home yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. VanEman, accompanied by her daughter Fern, left this morning for a few days recreation at Detroit.

An infant daughter of James Lego, on south Union street, has the diphtheria.

Richard Welker and wife, of Decatur, Ind., are visiting Elmer Welker on south Central avenue.

Charles Mack, of Spencerville, was engaged in business in south Lima a short time last night.

H. A. Valentine and Sadie Valentine of Leistville, Mrs. Carl and Miss Brissard, of Tarlton, are being entertained at the home of F. A. Stepleton, on south Central avenue.

Harry Ettel has returned to his home at Kenton, after a few days stay in this city.

I. Hichcock, returned yesterday to his home on Second street from a protracted visit in Hardin county.

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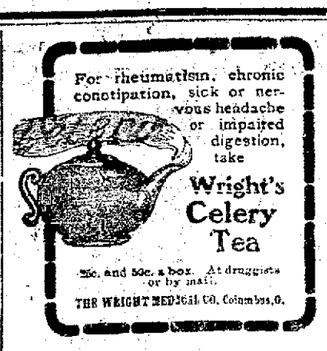

Miss Grace Van Sickle, who went to the south some time ago for the benefit of her health, writes relatives she is improving nicely.

Lawrence Shaw, having spent the week in this vicinity returned today to his home at Cridresville.

Mrs. Philip Dingledine, of south Pine street, is home from a visit at Sandusky.

Chas. Schenk, one of the Times efficient carrier boys, is visiting his grand parents at Celina.

George Smith, of this city has returned from a few days stay at Kenton.

E. S. Neely, a well known teacher in the public schools of Kenton, returned yesterday to his home having visited here with friends.

A. W. Jones, having completed a business mission in this city has gone to his home at Kenton.

E. Diltz, residing at the rear of St. Johns avenue is in a precarious condition. He has been ill only a short time. A few days ago he was operated upon at his home for an abscess of the lung. The affection had made such progress that he was little benefitted by the operation. Slight hopes of his recovery are entertained. His parents George Diltz, and wife of West Newton, are with him, also Mrs. Diltz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adkins, of Waynesfield.

Miss Alice Rankin, who attended the teachers institute and visited with south Lima friends has gone to her home near Lafayette.

J. B. Miller, of Spencerville transacted business on the south side yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. R. F. White, will leave for Toledo tonight where she will spend Sunday with relatives.

Miss Lulu Scott, will have for her guest Sunday, Miss Mary Shively, of Van Wert.

A YOUNG LADY'S LIFE SAVED.

At Panama, Columbia, by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Dr. Chas. H. Utter, a prominent physician, of Panama, Columbia, in a recent letter states: "Last March I had as a patient a young lady sixteen years of age, who had a very bad attack of dyspepsia. Everything I prescribed for her proved ineffectual and she was growing worse every hour. Her parents were sure she would die. She had become so weak that she could not turn over in bed. What to do at this critical moment was a study for me, but I thought of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and as a last resort prescribed it. The most wonderful result was effected. Within eight hours she was feeling much better; inside of three days she was upon her feet and at the end of one week was entirely well." For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

McBETH PARK

Tomorrow and All Next Week.

The Vaudeville Bill for the coming week at McBeth's park promises to be one of the best bills of the season, judging form, the following artists who have been engaged: Elvira Frencelli, who possess a charming soprano voice and Thomas Lewis, a baritone singer of note, in Lyric novelties. The Aherns in their marvelous acrobatic work and James E. Rome and Marguerite Ferguson in their clever comedy sketch entitled "Mr. Flotz, the Floor Walker," and "In Business Hours." The Polyscope is still gaining in popularity and will introduce a new list of pictures. Dana's band will again be an extra feature, giving two concerts tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Throughout the land Bromo-Pepsin is becoming a household remedy for headache, indigestion, insomnia, and mental exhaustion, because it cures, and because it is absolutely harmless. Physicians prescribe it. All druggists. 10c, 25c, and 50c per bottle.

Quite Proper.

Subbubs—I hear the small farmers out our way talking about their truck patches. Wonder why they call them patches.

Citiman—Why not? They're sowed on, you know.—Philadelphia Press.

J. U. Heiniger's Bargain Store has too much fine wall paper. Do you want some? A big cut on all good papers in stock now. Southeast corner square. eod

TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

Calvary Reformed Church,

High and Park avenue, invites you to an active, busy, Sunday school 9:15; helpful gospel preaching and good music 10:30 and 7:30. Christian Endeavor meetings, conducted by the young people at 6:45. Wednesday evening service at 7:30. Vocal music class Monday evening at 7:30. Prof. Adams, director. A. D. Wolfinger, pastor. july29-3m

Main Street Presbyterian Church

Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; prayer service at 7:45 Wednesday evening; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 each Sabbath afternoon. All made welcome. W. G. Smith, pastor.

Grace M. E. Church.

Rev. W. H. Leatherman, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; preaching at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor. Morning subject, "Mighty to Save"; evening subject, "Lima Civic Affairs." Everybody invited. Junior League at 2 p. m., and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., led by Alta Osburn.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; morning service with preaching by the pastor at 10:15 o'clock. This being the first service after the return of the pastor from his vacation, he hopes to be able to greet every member of the church. Strangers welcome. No evening service. Carl Ackerman, pastor.

Solarville Mission Church

On Third street, A. D. Welty, pastor. Sabbath school at 2 p. m.; Y. P. M. at 7; preaching service at 7:30; prayer and praise meeting Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock. All are invited.

South Lima Baptist Church.

Sabbath school 9:15 a. m.; preaching 10:30; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.; preaching by J. O. Scoyd at 7:30.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Corner west North and Elizabeth streets. Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m., subject, "What the Grace of God Can do for a Man." Sunday school at 9 a. m.; business meeting of Luther League Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. The seats are free and all are welcome.

German Reformed Church.

There will be no services at the German Reformed church next Sabbath, owing to the pastor's absence on a short vacation. Sunday school will be at the usual time. Paul H. Land, pastor.

Trinity M. E. Church.

General class 9 a. m.; reception of members, followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 10:00 a. m.; Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; worship and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Music under the direction of Prof. Hugh Owens. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

First Church of Christ

West Wayne street, W. A. Brundige, pastor. Bible school at 9:15; sermon at 10:30, subject, "The Christian's Liberty." At 7:30, subject, "The Four Sides of Christian Character." These are the thoughts of two sermons preached Sunday at the Maxin Kuchee Lake Assembly by Mr. Lord, editor of "Christian Standard," and Mr. Penyiton, editor of the "Lookout." Jr. C. E. at 3 o'clock; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15. Sunday arrangements will be made for S. S. picnic, come. Ladies Aid Society Tuesday afternoon in the church. Prayer meeting on Thursday night.

Epworth M. E. Church,

Geo. W. Anderson, pastor. Services in the tabernacle next Sabbath as follows: At 10 o'clock, Miss Wilcox, one of our church deaconnesses, will speak about her chosen field of labor and the opportunities there are in this department of Christian work, at 7:30, the pastor will preach on: "The Man With a Plumbline. The Necessity of Moral Distinctions in Home and City Life." At 9 o'clock Sabbath school; at 6:30, Epworth League devotional meeting. All are most cordially invited to these services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO ENTERTAIN.

One of the important entertainments of the season will be given Tuesday night, Aug. 20 at the south side church of Christ. The Watson orchestra and some of Lima's best musical and literary talent will assist. Admission 10c.

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COLMAN, Mich., Sept. 27, 1900.
For a whole year I could do no work and walked only by holding on to a chair. I doctored with four different physicians but received no relief. The use of two bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure gave me a perfect cure. J. E. McKINNEY.

GENEVA, Crawford Co., Pa., June 18, 1900.
Three years ago I had a severe attack of Erysipelas and blood poison, breaking out on my head and face. My physician attended me for several months without result. I then took 3 bottles of Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic and secured a complete cure. FRANK BAHRMAN.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., Sept. 7, 1901.
My wife has suffered long with dyspepsia. I tried all of the pepsin preparations and all of my own prescriptions without avail. I finally prescribed Dr. Fenner's Dyspepsia Cure and the use of it effected a cure. Many other similar cases that have come under my observation have been cured by his Dyspepsia Cure. Dr. F. J. LEHANDORF.

My Dear Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.
I have used Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief for many years for the diseases and accidents for which it is advertised and have found it fully equal to all you claim for it.
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McDonald, Ga., July 18, 1900.
I advise every suffering woman to take Wine of Cardui. While I was going with my other children I was compelled to stay in bed for days at a time, but this time I have taken Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught and have been able to do all my housework without any trouble. I am expecting every day to be confined. My husband thinks Wine of Cardui is the best medicine in the world. He takes a dose of Thedford's Black-Draught every night and gives some to the children. He has not lost a day from work this year. He tells his friends about your wonderful medicines and I tell my lady friends to use your Wine of Cardui. Mrs. GEORGIA LEE.

WINE OF CARDUI

There are thousands of women who shrink in terror at the thought of the baby's coming. But childbirth is one of the workings of Nature and it was not intended to imply torture and agony to the heroic mothers of the race. The woman who suffers torture during pregnancy and at childbirth has usually, by some indiscretion, injured the organs which make her a woman. Neglect of menstrual irregularities leads to ovarian pains, falling of the womb and leucorrhoea, and the period of pregnancy is necessarily distressing under those conditions. Wine of Cardui will regulate the menstrual function perfectly and eventually make the generative organs strong and healthy. Pregnancy and childbirth have no terrors for the woman who takes this pure Wine. A strong healthy womb will bring its precious burden to maturity with little or no pain. A healthy woman need not fear childbirth. Wine of Cardui completely cures all these troubles familiarly known as "female diseases" and equips the sensitive generative organs for pregnancy and childbirth. It will save any mother much pain and suffering. All druggists sell $1.00 bottles.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

BRIDE WILL SAIL AS MATE.

Miss Sothran to Share Perils of Captain Andrews in a Tiny Boat.

On the day this month (August) before he sets sail to circumnavigate the globe Captain William Andrews will marry Miss A. M. Sothran, an Atlantic City girl, says the New York Journal. She will be first mate and crew of the stormproof Jersey lifeboat less than 14 feet long in which they will pass their honeymoon and make their daring voyage. In a double sense Captain and Mrs. Andrews will together embark on the troublous sea of matrimony.

This will be Captain Andrews' seventh voyage in his unsinkable craft and probably his last. He had the choice of several romantic girls, each of whom was willing, even anxious, to accompany him as wife, boatswain and crew. Of them all the brave mariner reallily selected Miss Sothran. Not only is she familiar with the sea, which, therefore, she does not fear, but she lately steered and nursed the captain through an illness dangerous as an unknown rock in a channel. For a long time Andrews had to navigate slowly and painfully on crutches. Now he is able to prepare for his voyage and incidentally for his wedding.

It must relieve the captain's mind that other women know he is taking his wife with him on this voyage. There can be no such demonstration as happened when he left Atlantic City in his little sailing vessel for a transatlantic trip on June 18, 1899. Then, in the presence of thousands of people, four veiled women put out in a boat from a yacht off the pier.

The rowers overhauled the Doree, Andrews' boat, and each of the four veiled women threw her arms around the astonished navigator's neck and heartily kissed him. The captain was intensely embarrassed. The Doree jibed so suddenly that she nearly upset the yacht's boat with the mysterious women in it.

But that was not all at the start of that voyage. Just as the veiled party sheered off a second rowboat started in chase of the Doree. It contained Belle Shane of Norristown. Andrews had promised to take her with him, and she was grievously disappointed when he told her he had changed his mind. She threw a line over the tiller of Andrews' boat and was towed along. Her piteous entreaties to be taken along traveled clearly across the water.

"I have my valise here all packed," she screamed. "Do take me with you, captain, dear!"

Andrews cast off her line remorselessly, and then she wailed and sobbed. The Doree got away to sea without any further entanglements. But it is small wonder that the captain takes a wife with him this trip.

TO THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OVER THE C. H. & D.

Mart Armstrong Post, Lima, voted to go to the National Encampment, G. A. R. at Cleveland, over the C. H. & D., and will have a special train of elegant coaches. The special train will leave Lima at 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, September 9th, arriving at Cleveland in the early evening and in time to reach headquarters before supper. Arrangements are made to furnish all members of the G. A. R., who join them, free quarters, and those of their friends can secure full information enroute to Cleveland relative to places to stop. Full particulars will be given by circular later.

J. C. WINANS,
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Their Secret is Out.

All Sadieville, Ky., was curious to learn the cause of the vast improvement in the health of Mrs. S. P. Whittaker, who had for a long time, endured untold suffering from a chronic bronchial trouble. "It's all due to Dr. King's New Discovery," writes her husband. "It completely cured her and also cured our little grand-daughter of a severe attack of Whooping Cough." It positively cures coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

EXCURSION TO DAYTON AND SOLDIERS HOME.

On Thursday, August 22d, the C. H. & D. will run another popular excursion to the Soldiers' Home. Train leaving Lima at 5:30 a. m.. Rate $1.25.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor.
JAMES KILBOURNE,
of Franklin County.

For Lieutenant Governor.
ANTHONY HOWELLS,
of Stark County.

For Clerk of Supreme Court.
HARRY YOUNG,
of Cuyahoga County.

For Attorney General.
M. B. McCarthy,
of Lucas County.

For Member Board Public Works.
JAMES G. HOLMAN,
of Brown County.

For Judge of Supreme Court.
JOSEPH HIDY,
of Fayette County.

For State Treasurer.
R. P. ALESHIRE,
of Gallia County.

For State Senators.
STEPHEN D. CRITES,
of Allen County.
Wm. E. DECKER,
of Paulding County.

For Representative.
JOHN W. MANGES.

For Sheriff.
EUGENE J. BARR.

For Treasurer.
JAMES W. GENSEL.

For County Commissioner.
ALBERT HEFNER.

For Coroner.
DR. ANDREW BICE.

For Infirmary Director.
W. E. GRUBB.

JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

The Democratic convention for the selection of one candidate for Common Pleas Judge for the First Sub-division of the Third Judicial District of Ohio, will be held at Delphos, Ohio, Tuesday, the 3d day of September, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The counties composing said sub-division will be entitled to representation as follows: One vote for each 100 votes, or fraction over 50 votes cast at the national election of 1900 for William J. Bryan for president. On this basis the counties will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Allen	65
Auglaize	48
Mercer	45
Shelby	38
Van Wert	36
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The Judicial Central Committee will meet at 8 o'clock p. m. of September 2, at the law office of Reave & Lindeman, for the selection of temporary officers of the convention.

S. A. HOSKINS, Chairman.
GEO. W. KOHN, Secretary.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT RECEIVES BY WIRE THE TELEGRAPHIC AND CABLE SERVICE OF THE SCRIPPS-McRAE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Ohio State Conference of Charities and Correction will be held at Lima, October 8, for a three days session. Special programs for the several sections of the conference, including the infirmary section, boards of county visitors, children's homes and private charities are being prepared.

Gossip from up the state has it that Senator Harding is behind a deep scheme to gerrymander his section of the state. As it now stands he is in a Democratic county, a Republican state senatorial district, and a Democratic congressional district, which handicaps his ambition to shine in the halls of congress. Harding's plan is to throw Marion county in with some of the adjacent Republican counties to make a Republican congressional district.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

July exports were larger than in July of any previous year, and the imports were larger than those of July in any year since 1895. The figures of the foreign commerce of the United States during the month of July were completed by the treasury bureau of statistics today. They show: Total imports of the month, $72,897,087; total exports, $109,031,158; excess of exports over imports, $36,134,071, or considerably more than $1,000,000 per day. So large an excess of exports over imports in July is unusual, since July is usually a month of heavy imports and light exports. Prior to 1898 the July figures almost always showed an excess of imports over exports, and in no year prior to 1900 had the July exports reached $100,000,000. Prior to 1890 July exports averaged about $50,000,000; from 1890 to 1896, they averaged about $55,000,000; in 1897 they were about $71,000,000; in 1898, $72,000,000; in 1899, $94,926,170; in 1900, $100,452,807, and in 1901, $109,031,158. For the seven months ending with July, 1901, the imports are $516,337,191, an increase of $3,253,846 over the corresponding months of last year, and the exports are $830,813,815, an increase of $18,307,265 over the corresponding months of last year. The excess of exports over imports in the seven months is $324,526,625, against $309,408,204 in the corresponding months of 1900 and $239,298,180 in the corresponding months of 1899.

The fundamental principles of the Democratic party are not expressed in tariff schedules or coinage ratios. They involve the inalienable rights of man to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. They are the principles of magna charta and the declaration of independence. They spell, for the United States and all territory under her jurisdiction, the supremacy of our written constitution: free thought, free speech and a free press; freedom of conscience; freedom of commerce; trial by jury and the habeas corpus; uniform taxation, and no taxation at all without representation; no government without the consent of the governed; equal rights for all and special privileges for none. These are the fundamentals. Every situation that presents itself, every condition that arises, every problem demanding solution, must be dealt with and specific measures adopted in the light of and on the line of these fundamental principles. When the particular situation has ceased, when the given problem has been solved, the specific measure proposed ceases to be applicable, and we repeat that it is "fatuous bourbonism" to continue to insist on it. The fact is that much in the Democratic platform of 1896 was not much more applicable to the conditions existing in 1901 than was the Democratic platform of 1860 or of 1840, so rapidly do events move in this country in these latter days. The world moves. And the political party that does not move with it is doomed and damned.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

THE FEELING AGAINST THE TRUSTS.

The general anxiety caused by the strike in the steel and iron trades is bringing to the surface opposition to the trusts of which heretofore very little was known. The fears of those who have noted the influence of the great combines in politics and their control of certain governmental functions are being set forth very clearly. The merchants and manufacturers who are customers of the trusts have kept their grievances to themselves, but the grievances are real and so keenly felt that protests are being heard in most unexpected quarters. The impositions and extortions which these merchants and manufacturers have suffered have developed a bitterness that is ominous.

The chief complaint is that the trusts, not satisfied with controlling production, seek to control distribution. They insist in many cases in fixing the prices at which distributors shall sell, and in saying to whom they shall or shall not sell, and to all complaints of unfair treatment they turn a deaf ear. A large buyer of Indianapolis recently stated in an interview with a home paper that he never has any trouble when he buys from an independent producer, but that he is subjected to many annoyances when he buys from the trusts. In the latter case he is not only not sure of getting honest weight, but on the contrary is reasonably sure of getting short weight, and there is no redress. The explanation is that there is no individual responsibility. The man in charge of the mill or the factory is responsible to a board in New York and his only object is to make as good a showing as possible to the millionaire directors of the trust. His aim is not to please the customers, who are at his mercy, but to earn dividends on the watered stock of the trust.

As a result of the impositions and extortions to which the merchants and small manufacturers have been subjected, their sympathy is with the iron and steel workers in the battle against the big steel trust, and reports come from different towns in Pennsylvania and Ohio to the effect that they are aiding the strikers by contributing to the strike fund. This would indicate that the great middle class of the country, as well as labor, is arraying itself against the gigantic industrial combines which crush competition by controlling production and making prices. It is a very encouraging symptom, because a coalition of the forces represented by the middle class of our population and labor will result in the destruction of trusts and the protective tariff which fosters them, and this means also the downfall of the Republican party.

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The idea is getting ground among leading Democrats, however, that it would have a better effect to have several formal and simultaneous openings at various points, rather than concentrate upon one given place. Chairman Daugherty is understood to favor this plan. In any event there will be no shortage of Democratic oratory or enthusiasm. Among the men of national reputation who will be asked to take part, and upon whom the committee rely for acceptance are David B. Hill, of New York, Senator Vest, of Missouri and Ex-Senator Gorman, of Maryland. All this, however, will not be definitely settled until the first of September. The organization of the state committee will not be complete until that time, when the personnel of the literary, organization and speakers' bureaus will be determined upon. In these matters the committee is making haste slowly.

In the meantime it is proper to say that the Republican organs have no authority for the oft-repeated statement that Wm. J. Bryan is to be "eliminated" from the campaign in this state. Mr. Bryan stands ready to serve the party now as he has done in the past, and with other distinguished Democrats, will be invited to give the campaign as much attention as he is able, and will accept. His earnest desire for Colonel Kilbourne's election is well known, and he will not hesitate to express it in his own eloquent way when called upon. The Hanna crowd will feel his influence when they least expect it, and if they are now resting in the comforting delusion that Mr. Bryan has been or will be "eliminated" as a factor in this campaign, they will be awakened before election with the stern realization that they blundered into a feeling of security dispelled too late to counteract its effects.

The Groot fiasco has petered out so miserably that even the shadow of Hanna can no longer be traced besides the stalwart figure of Groot, who, like the boy that stood on the burning deck whence all but he had fled, is now the sole occupant of the sinking ship which he launched in the presence of a half dozen spectators in this city only a few weeks ago. It is believed that Hanna has seriously concluded that he cannot galvanize this corpse of a third party into life. The junior senator has no desire to be laughed at; he has no wish to jeopardize his reputation for common sense, not to say shrewdness; and he is therefore perfectly willing that Groot should henceforth occupy the boards as the sole performer in his spiritless comedy. Your Uncle Mark was in the game early enough to play it to the limit if it had shown signs of ultimately becoming interesting; but with no "suckers" in sight and the chips not worth the cashing, the supreme boss has about concluded to let Groot play solitaire.

The election will be a straight test of Republican and Democratic strength under new conditions, and the side-show features will not amount to more than a lone peanut stand at "the greatest show on earth."

JAPANESE ART EMBROIDERY.

Miss Cassell will give lessons in the Japanese method of art embroidery, for the next two weeks at Miss Murphie's millinary store. Six lessons for 50 cents. Hours—9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m. 60-6t*

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

THE STAGE

The theatrical season at Faurot's opera house will open on next Thursday evening, and, following a long established precedent, Manager Cunningham will present Al. G. Field's minstrels. All who have witnessed this show each succeeding year, have agreed that it represented the highest type of minstrel art. The only question that has arisen is, "I wonder what Field will do to beat this next season?" In answer to this query the management calls the attention of the public to the scenic spectacle, "A day and a night at the Pan-American Exposition."

The Field Minstrels have been seen in many brilliant first parts but this creation is the crowning achievement to all former efforts. Fun fast and furious and right to the minute permeates the entire scent, from the array of comedians embracing such distinguished artists as Jimmy Wall, John Blackford, Tommy Donnelly, Frank Fogerty, Doc. Quigley, George Mullen, Tom Hyde, Sam Golden, Charles Cartmell, Billy Cawley and Al. G. Field, the Chesterfield of minstrelsy. Mr. Dan Quinlan presiding as introducter with his accustomed tact and grace. When the laughter for a moment ceases it is to be entertained by the greatest assemblage of song birds ever congregated in a minstrel first part, including Joseph E. Blamphin, English tenor robusto; M. Julian Walsh, Irish tenor; Newton Bassett, German baritone; Aubrey Pringle, distinguished English basso; A. Fred Aikens, American lyric tenor; A. Fred Joe Wallace, the marvelous boy soprano with five Madrigal boys, and the famous romantic Welsh tenor, Reese Prosser, supported by a well trained chorus of twelve voices.

The olio will include the Blackford brothers, in the musical comedy sketch, "A Coon from Arkansaw"; Goldman, Hyde & Quigley, the famous dancing trio; Mullen & Vonder, "The celestial and the celt"; Burford and Bailey; the classic banjoists; the comedians, Wall and Fogarty; and the celebrated Carrier troupe of gymnosts.

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The Lima Lodge of Elks are preparing to give one of their famous clam bakes on August 22d, in honor of Al. G. Field, who is one of the officers of the grand lodge.

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George Ade, the Chicago man who writes the "Gables of Slang" and whose opera, "The Sultan of Sulu" has just been accepted by Henry W. Savage, hails from Indiana, which he says is a state which a man "should never go back on—or to." He lately met an Indiana woman who asked him if he had ever noticed how many bright people come from Indiana. "Yes," he replied, "and the brighter they are the quicker they come."

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When the unfortunate illness of George Clark necessitated the abrupt closing of Rice's "When we were Twenty-one" Co. last spring, Manager Rice promised Manager Cunningham that Lima would be one of the first cities visited the next season. This promise is to be fulfilled promptly, as this fine production of Henry V. Esmond's exquisite love romance is announced to follow Field's minstrels on August 30.

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Among the most prominent attractions which will appear at Faurot's opera house the coming season are: "At Cripple Creek," "Hello Bill," "The Evil Eye," The Chicago Opera Co., "Way Down East," "The Man from Mexico," "Are You a Mason," Weber's Band, "An American Gentleman," "Humpty Dumpty," "Punice Meredith," "Across the Desert," "Mistress Nell," "The Toll Gate Inn," "Sunset Mines," "A Gambler's Daughter," "Arizona," Ward & Vokes," "Lovers Lane," "Barbara Frietchie," "Sorrows of Satan," Robert Mantell, "One of the Bravest," "The County Fair," "The Wrong Mr. Wright," Jefferson De Angelis Opera Co., "The Wizard of the Nile," "The Dairy Farm," "Human Hearts," "The Girl from Chili," Mildred Holland in "The Power Behind the Throne," "A Stranger in a Strange Land," Francis Wilson in "The Strollers," "The Minister's Son," "The Deemster," "The Climbers," "Eight Bells," and possibly Joseph Jefferson in "The Rivals."

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Manager W. A. Brady's production of Lottie Blair Parker's play, "Way Down East," has been booked by Manager Cuningham for the coming season. This is the same great play that for 427 performances crowded the Manhattan theatre and academy of music, New York. It will be given in city with a splendid cast, elaborate scenery and effects, with every attention to detail that tended to make its metropolitan engagement so noticeable. The best of critics pronounce it a superior play to "Old Homestead" or "Shore Acres" and whenever it has been presented scores of letters from clergymen, school teachers and others have been received, tell of their delight at the story it so aptly teaches.

Lincoln J. Carter, author of "The Heart of Chicago" is but 32 years old and is accounted one of the brightest of amusement managers. He now has nine attractions on the road. He writes his own plays, paints his own scenery, invents his own mechanical effects designs the printing for his various attractions, rehearses his companies, and in case of necessity plays any part from the low comedy Irishman to the hero.

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It will be interesting to Americans to know that J. C. Williamson, the magnate of theatrical affairs in Australia, has sailed for home, taking with him the manuscripts of two plays which are wholly and distinctively American, Lovers' Lane" and "Way Down East." The company presenting the former, all this summer in Chicago, with some accessories, will be sent by Wm. A. Brady, to Melbourne, May 1, and will enact them both.

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Mr. Tim Murphy is an artist with pencil and brush as well as an actor. He has spent the summer in active preparation for his production of Paul Wilstach's new Washington play, "A Capitol Comedy." Mr. Murphy spent two weeks in June in Washington photographing and sketching from the original sites the scene in "A Capitol Comedy." Having started the scene painters on the production from the models which he made himself, Mr. Murphy began designing his pictorial advertising.

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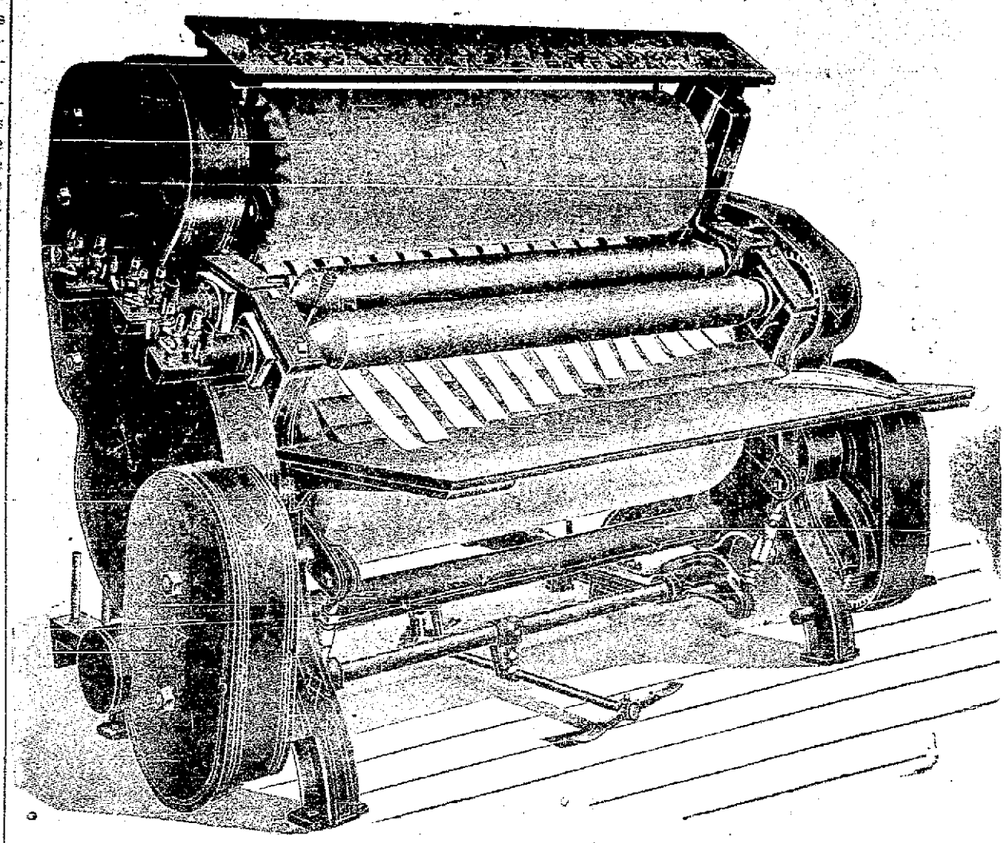
Manager Maxwell, of McBeth's, will present an unusually entertaining bill at the park next week. Three teams have been engaged, and all are among the best in their line of the vaudeville business. The Aherns, William and Minnie, will present their strongest act in sensational acrobatic work, Thomas Lewis and Elvira Frensilla are billed for lyric novelties and James E. Rome and Marguerite Ferguson are on for a good turn in which Miss Ferguson's acrobatic novelty is featured. The polyscope will be retained with a new set of moving pictures.

A BIG THING FOR LIMA.



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There will be no regular Niagara Falls excursion this year, and as this rate is the lowest made and going via Niagara Falls, let everybody arrange to join this excursion which will be personally conducted, and parties will be able to secure, before arriving at Buffalo, assignments of hotels, boarding houses and all necessary information as to the exposition. There will be furnished enroute light lunch on the train at moderate prices. Remember it is personally conducted. For full particulars see small bills. All information gladly furnished by calling upon C. H. & D. agent, or phone No. 100 old phone, or No. 158 new phone.

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PERSONAL.

Misses Minnie and Rose Hershberg, who have been visiting at Detroit and Cleveland for several weeks, returned home last night.

Rev. A. D. Wolfinger will preach a special to men on Sunday morning on the subject about which befell the Sunday school. All invited.

Miss Martha Grover and Miss Minnie Grover of Delta, Ohio, who have been attending the college at Valparaiso, Indiana, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Prundige.

Miss Rose Newman, of the Lima house who has been the guest of her cousin Mrs. L. Halle of Cleveland, for several weeks returned home last night.

Mr. Fred. S. Bates, formerly connected with the Ohio Oil company of this city but now situated in Oil City, Pa., has been in the city for the past two days on business.

Miss Linna Lampson, accompanied by her brother Albert, returned to their home in Toledo today, after a pleasant visit with their aunt, Mrs. J. C. Ross, of north Pierce street.

Theodore Michael will spend Sunday at Dayton, the guest of his fiance, Miss Rose Simons.

Mr. Robb Melly, of the Buckeye, was the guest of Sidney friends yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Kline, of Lima, and Mrs. J. C. Armstrong, of Rockford, have returned to their homes after visiting Mrs. A. Layman.—Van Wert Bulletin.

Mrs. Lowery, of Lima, has taken the place of Miss Payne as professional nurse at James Place's who returned to Lima on account of illness.—Waynesfield Chronicle.

Misses Alice and Mollie Cunningham have returned from a visit to the Pan-American and Niagara Falls.

Miss Maggie O'Neil, of south West street, has returned after a pleasant visit in Wapakoneta, the guest while there of J. J. Collins and wife.

Mrs. Lew Kemper and daughter Blanche, returned today after a visit of three weeks at Ivorydale, Cincinnati.

Mrs. J. T. McFarland and daughter, Miss Ethel, have returned to their home in Indianapolis, after a pleasant visit here and in Wapakoneta.

Mr. and Mrs. John McComb, of north Pine street, left today for a visit with Mr. McComb's sister, Mrs. Mary Nye in Warsaw, Ind.

Miss Carrie Dietz of Trenton, Ohio, has spent a very pleasant week with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Eckert, of west Market street. She will return home Sunday and resume her position as bookkeeper in the Hamilton Republican office.

D. P. Boggs went to Findlay this morning on business connected with oil interests.

Davis and John Cable, sons of attorney D. J. Cable, leave tomorrow to take in the sights at the Pan-American.

Miss Minnie Bloxam left today for a visit at Lakeside.

Miss Grace Johnson, who has been the guest of Miss Madge Mitchell, returned to her home in Muncie this afternoon, accompanied by Miss Mitchell.

Philip Albert has returned from a two weeks outing near Landeck.

Harry Langan returns this evening to Philadelphia after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Langan, of north Pierce street.

Misses Cora and Hattie Deweese, of Pemberton, O., are the guests of friends in this city.

Mrs. F. M. Foekler, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Abbott in Sidney.

Miss Lenore Cattey has returned to the home of her brother, A. E. Cattey, 117 south Jackson street, after a lengthy visit with her parents at Shelby, Ohio.

Geo. Shook and family, of west Wayne street, are home after a pleasant outing at Lakeside, Ohio.

Miss Maud Magly, of Kenton, O., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Gutmuth, of north Baxter street.

The Wimodaughsis circle will meet with Mrs. Tracy at the home of Mrs. Will Craig, 640 south West street, Thursday afternoon, Aug. 22nd, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Adolph Fox and family have removed into the handsome new house on west Market street, near Pierce, just completed by George S. Wieary.

J. S. Smith, the grocery, will leave tomorrow for Zanesville to bring home his family, who have been visiting there for the past month.

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On Tuesday, the Chicago & Erie R. R., will sell round trip tickets to Buffalo at $6.55, good returning until midnight of Sunday following date of sale. Tickets sold daily at $10.30, good 15 days, and $12.40 good 20 days. The Erie is the only line running through coaches and sleepers to Buffalo.

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Have your picnics and outings at McBeth's Park. 123-tf

The Erie people announce that on and after Tuesday, August 20, and on each Tuesday following, they will sell coach excursion tickets at the rate of $6.55 to Buffalo and return. These tickets good returning for six days, including date of sale; 15 day tickets sold daily for $10.30 and 20 day tickets $12.40.

GOOD

Territory May be Opened Up

And the Wells

Are Creeping Gradually in That Direction.

Eastern Auglaize Co., May Soon Hear the Sing of the Pump Rod.

Texas Oil May be Used Altogether for Fuel on Six Large Steamers Plying Between Ireland and the States.

Numerous derricks are springing up on the territory between Lima and Westminster, which shows that the oil industry is making progress in that direction. A great deal of new territory is being opened up in Western Ohio and Eastern Auglaize might as well come forward now as any other time. It is quite likely that great reservoirs of oil underly that section of the country but if they are not tapped for 50 years the country will receive no more benefit from it during that period than if the oil never existed there. What is needed is some enterprising oil man to lease land and test the matter. If oil exists there the country round about will be rapidly developed.

When one visits the surrounding counties and sees hundreds of wells giving forth a wealth of oil from field and meadow that bring a steady stream of good money into the pockets of the farmer, he cannot help feeling anxious for the day to come when Eastern Auglaize will be opened to a liberal swing of the pump rod. It is to be hoped that land owners will hasten the day.—Waynesfield Chronicle.

Will Burn Texas Oil.

A dispatch stated that S. G. Frazer, the Dublin engineer, who has prepared the plants for the new harbor at Berehaven, Bantry Bay, Ireland, in connection with the proposed steamship line which is to have steamers capable of crossing the Atlantic in four and a half days, says that the line will consist initially of six large steamers, four for the New York and two for the Canadian trade. It is the intention to burn Texas oil.

The Canadian port will be Sydney or Halifax. By building 65 miles of railroad and connecting Berehaven with all the Irish lines, the new company will be able to take passengers and mails from Berehaven to London in 12 hours, thus landing passengers in New York and London in five days.

The English port will be Liverpool or Southampton.

Austen Chamberlain, General Balfour and George Wydham (respectively the financial secretary of the treasury, the president of the board of trade and chief secretary for Ireland), besides Lord James, of Hereford (chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster), have favorably reported the bill.

Mr. Fraser says that American capital is interested in the scheme.

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TO AND FROM DELPHOS.

Misses Ina and Lillian Schuck, of Lima, after a visit here with Miss Cora Seitz, returned home Thursday evening.

John Mallory, Casper Geise, Cal. Miller, Frank Burger, Sol. Pence and Harry Brown were in Lima, Thursday, and received certificates as stationary engineers from Thos. Winship, State Examiner of the National Association of Stationary Engineers.

Little Miss Margaret Snook who has been visiting at Lima for some time, returned home yesterday.

Miss Nettie Snook, of Lima, and Miss Nettie Fredricks, of Westminster, were guests at the home of Wm. Snook, Thursday.

C. L. Sautter and family, visited in Lima, Thursday.

Misses Leah and Mary Arthur returned to Lima, this morning.

Mrs. Bert Coates, of Lima, is visiting Mrs. John Rexler and Mrs. Fank Foster.

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TELESCOPE

Found in Rear of Jake Haege's Place

Where It Had Been Left by Its Owner.

Relatives of the Girl Who Left it Have Been Notified But are Unable to Explain Her Actions.

A telescope filled with various articles of feminine wearing apparel and also containing a few letters, was accidentally found this morning about 9 o'clock, in a shed at the rear of Jacob Haege's saloon on north Main street. Sanitary officer Roush was engaged in locating a dead dog, supposed to have been in the shed. In his search he was surprised to uncover a telescope lying in a corner of the room.

The police department was notified and the telescope was taken to the police station and examined. Therein was found several skirts, shirtwaists, aprons, shoes and numerous articles belonging to the wardrobe of a domestic. The only clue as to whom the owner is, was found in some correspondence. This may lead to her discovery. A postal card, addressed to Mary Geckler, Delphos, O., and signed by Francis Geckler, 3d floor Sanford block, spoke of the former as "sister" and was dated July 18th last.

The only clue in the correspondence to give the authorities any fear that she will be hard to locate, is the following: "You don't need to write so soon now if you don't want to. Don't worry."

An investigation by the police revealed the fact that Francis Geckler was a domestic at the Norval Hotel at one time and later employed at the Niagara laundry. She was seen at the McBeth park last Sunday night.

Located Later.

At a late hour this afternoon, information came from the Norval hotel that the Geckler girl had been seen by some of the servants only last night. Why she left her worldly goods in a shed at the rear of the Haege saloon has not been cleared up, as yet. Her people in or near Delphos have been notified and the police are awaiting their decision.

A Similar Case.

Another telescope mystery, which has been cleared, was reported to the police yesterday. Two girls named Clara Carter and Anna Helpin, each left their telescopes "to be called for later," one at the Norval and one with a family named Ferguson. As the telescopes were not called for on time, the police were asked to find the missing girls.

Today, a communication was received at police headquarters from the two girls stating that they have been near the town of Rouseulp since their disappearance from this city, but expected to return to Lima and accept positions, one on west Wayne street, the other in South Lima. The parents of the Helpin girl live in Anna station and were greatly exercised over the strange and sudden disappearance of their daughter.

Resist Cut Wages.

Fall River, Mass., Aug. 17.—All the labor unions in the city will take the final step next week toward a decision to resist by a strike the proposed cut in wages of 15 per cent. The weavers' association has about 30,000 members. The executive committee of the manufacturers met, but no idea can be given as to the time at which an agreement will be reached, although they expect the reduction will not be delayed beyond Sept. 1, nor will it be modified as to the amount.

Drouth Relieved at Memphis.

Memphis, Aug 17.—The effect of the southern gulf storm was felt here when a steady rain, accompanied by a strong wind, began falling at an early hour and continued throughout the day and night. The rain is the first of any consequence in two months, and will prove vastly beneficial to corn and vegetation, which has suffered severely from the drouth.

Accused of Embezzlement.

Cleveland, Aug. 17.—R. J. Mauck, state building and loan inspector, swore out a warrant for the arrest of J. S. Blodt, late secretary of the Guaranty Savings and Loan association, on the charge of embezzling funds from the latter institution. Blodt recently resigned his position with the bank as the result of an investigation begun some weeks ago by state officials.

Knocked Him Stiff.

Findlay, O., Aug. 17.—"Biz" Mackey, a local bantam, knocked out Tommy Wilson of Cincinnati in two minutes' fast fighting. A short-arm punch on the point of the jaw did the work. Wilson was unconscious 10 minutes.

Mabel Gilman will be the Beauty in the Drury Lane pantomime, "The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast," which Klaw & Erlanger will produce.

Nell—"She married a foreign nobleman." Belle—"Is he domestic?" Nell—"Of course not. He's imported."

Shoe Gossip.

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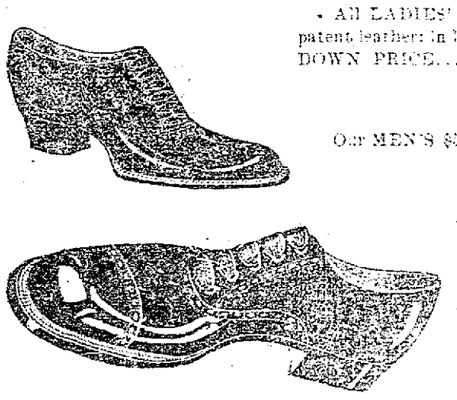

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SAD MESSAGE

Was Received of the Death of a Relative.

T. A. Collins and Mrs. A. J. Dimond last night received the sad intelligence of the death of Bennie Hartzog, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hartzog, of Tippecanoe City, Ohio. The little fellow was aged about ten and was exceedingly bright for his years. Mrs. Hartzog is a cousin of Mr. Collins and Mrs. Dimond.

He Knew.

"I know every rock in the channel," asserted the young pilot.

Just then the vessel struck.

"There's one now," he continued triumphantly.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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WANTED—Two girls at the Niagara laundry. 1t

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THE MOSQUITO CRUSADE

Results of the First Year's War on the Pest.

CHANCES OF EXTERMINATING IT.

Experiments in Communities Which Have Been Relieved of Malaria. Where the Insect Breeds—"Mosquito Engineering" a New Occupation Effect of Railroad Trains.

Few developments of the last 18 months have been more notable than the systematic warfare against the mosquito, with all that it promises for the comfort of the future, writes the New York Post's Washington correspondent. The mosquito is an annoyance of the first rank, not so much in some places as in others, but, taking the country as a whole, a source of very considerable loss. It renders some good sized districts not worth living in and adds to the warm weather discomfort of still larger areas.

From the experiments of Dr. L. O. Howard, the entomologist of the department of agriculture, of which the data were widely diffused through the official bulletins, it became evident that the mosquito was by no means a necessary evil. When its relation to the spread of disease, particularly of malaria, became established, a decided impetus was given to the movement for its extermination, and that movement is now well under way. A brief and informal review of the first year's accomplishments may not be without interest. The scientific stage in the warfare against the mosquito has passed. We are now in the more practical stage of seeing what can be done to carry out the plans recommended by the scientists. Unfortunately, perhaps—for the plans have undergone a severer test on that account—this has been a great mosquito year. The early rains were so heavy and widespread as to leave pools of water standing late in the summer in places which are ordinarily dry, and the mosquito crop seems to depend upon available resources in the way of stagnant water.

The experiments in fighting malaria have made the mosquito a subject for our boards of health, municipal and state, which has given a great impulse to the campaign against the pest. It is estimated that 50 times as much work has been done in the present summer toward its extermination as ever before. It has become almost a fashion in one town after another to make war upon the mosquito, and, taken as a whole, the results have been most gratifying. The failures have occurred in places where it was not possible to secure sufficient unity of action to make the work effective, and on the principle that no chain is stronger than its weakest link no locality is better off than its worst quarters for breeding mosquitoes permit. The experiments at Tuxedo Park and at Winchester, Va., have had good results and are too well known to call for description here. One malarial patient at Tuxedo had through the medium of mosquitoes infected a whole community. Nearly 40 persons were down with the disease at one time, when a New York physician saw the kind of mosquito which conveys malaria perching on the walls of his patient's room. He began a system of close screening, particularly to keep those persons already infected away from the insect carriers of the disease. Then he applied the kerosene treatment to the stagnant pools that could not otherwise be controlled, meanwhile dosing his patients with quinine, with the result that not a new case of the disease appeared. In a little community in Maryland which has been malaria ridden from time immemorial an expenditure of $40 made by one public spirited citizen and all of it applied to draining and diking has made this season pass thus far without a single case of the troublesome disease. Winchester began last year with what might be called voluntary measures on the part of the individual householders. This year the preventive measures have been made compulsory, with correspondingly improved effect.

The success of W. J. Matteson's work at Lloyd's neck, at the entrance to Oyster bay, was also far reaching. In his private grounds, which are very extensive, he succeeded in eliminating the mosquito so completely that the people living in Centre Island, directly opposite, decided to see what they could do. During the winter they had a topographical survey made, showing all the possible breeding places, and followed this up by such drainage measures as seemed feasible. Kerosene was used wherever it was impossible to drain except at great expense, and in the artificial pools used for watering stock, where the presence of oil would have been out of the question, fish were introduced. The latest reports indicate that this work has been very successful. A few mosquitoes are found, but the indications are that they are domestically bred in the chance accumulations of water which have been overlooked. This is a particularly important item, and in Washington it accounts for most of the mosquitoes that we have. Roof gutters which have become accidentally stopped, especially in a rainy season like this, afford good breeding ground. Unused ash barrels in the back yards, tin cans, old bottles—anything that will hold rainwater—will answer for the mosquito's purpose. It also breeds in sewers wherever the fall is so slight that the eggs do not wash away. In some places the perforated iron coverings over the sewer ventilators have been lined with gauze with good effect. In parts of cities where the movement of the sewer is slow it is well to watch these openings and pour in an occasional cup of kerosene. The Centre Island experiment, by the way, has made it possible this summer for residents to sit on their front porches, which is a distinct improvement over past conditions. This in turn has attracted the attention of people in the surrounding towns, so that the North Shore Improvement association, comprising most of the well to do inhabitants of that part of Long Island, including Oyster Bay and Cold Spring, has raised a sum of money and is employing experts to undertake a similar work over a stretch of country comprising 75 square miles.

This suggests that mosquito warfare offers opportunities for young men desiring an occupation. It requires some training and experience to survey a country minutely, as well as some knowledge of engineering to devise the best plans for meeting all the conditions presented, particularly in draining and diking. "Mosquito engineering" will probably be the title of a new profession. Its exponents will have to bear in mind the value of soils for agricultural and other purposes, so as to combine in their plans for the reclamation of swamp lands all the economic advantages that may accrue. It might not pay to reclaim great marsh tracts for the mosquito alone, expensive as quinine and medical attendance have become; but if, at the same time that the mosquito and malaria are undergoing extinction, good land could be brought into use for agriculture—and reclaimed swamps have the richest soil in the world—the combination might pay. New Jersey is already taking the matter up, and probably the most important legislation to be considered at Trenton next winter will be that relating to the amendment of the drainage laws of the state. The trouble with New Jersey is the number and abundance of its railroads, extending from a narrow region along the coast, which affords mosquito breeding ground, into every upland part of the state. The mosquito itself is not a great traveler, ordinarily plying its trade within a quarter of a mile of the place of its birth. In a strong wind it will cling to the first object to which it can attach itself, but in a light, gentle breeze it may be wafted on for a long distance. According to credible records, it has been carried in this way as far as 18 miles, but this is believed to be about the limit. On a railroad train, however, it can go as far as it is carried, and if two or three insects alight at a station the tone of the community a few weeks later may be imagined. It is the railroads which have made New Jersey so famous as a mosquito state. South Carolina, with an equal mileage, would be immeasurably worse off.

The question may arise whether any general extermination of the mosquito is possible. It would doubtless be very expensive and long in coming, but that a tremendous improvement may be brought about during the next ten years is entirely probable. Every town that moves in the matter helps all the other places with which it has railroad connections. Winchester, for example, has greatly reduced the number of its mosquitoes, but the war will have to be kept up so long as trains go there from Baltimore, until at least the Monument City takes equally effective measures. Just now there is considerable prospect that Baltimore will move in the matter, and then each city will strengthen the other. So it will be with every station along the line.

One of the most interesting of current experiments is that in Charleston, where a midwinter exposition is now in preparation. The city is going to take this occasion to see what it can do to drive out the mosquito, and perhaps by the time its visitors arrive they will find that the old fashioned netting's have become obsolete. After the mosquito is gone and forgotten, if that good time ever comes, the house fly will have to make the fight of his life to survive.

PLAN TO HELP INDIANS.

Miss Estelle Reel Maps Out a Course of Study For Them.

Miss Estelle Reel, national superintendent of Indian schools, has compiled a uniform course of study in 31 subjects such as the Indian should learn to become self supporting, says a Washington dispatch. Aside from the literary branches the course includes agriculture, baking, basketry, blacksmithing, carpentry, cooking, dairying, engineering, gardening, harness making, housekeeping, laundering, printing, painting, sewing, shoemaking, tailoring and upholstering.

The course has been in preparation for the past three years and embodies ideas of the needs of the Indian school service that Miss Reel has acquired from personal observation in the field, together with the views of the various superintendents and Indian workers of the United States, many of whom have spent a score of years in the work. This is the first course of study in book form and is more comprehensive than any yet introduced into the Indian schools.

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Yoho, my lads, yoho—
When certain men did congregate
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His ships were old and slow.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!

They fought a little while that day.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!
The Spaniards could not stand the fray
Because they were not built that way.
It took an hour or so.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!

The Spaniards went and lived in peace.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!
But the 'Mericanos would not cease:
They fought and called for the police;
It was a holy show.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!

For glory still they fight anew.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!
And each one writes a book or two
On what was which and which was who,
And each is t'other's foe.
Yoho, my lads, yoho!

—Washington Star.

AMONG THE RAILWAYS.

Chicago and Eastern Illinois Testing Miller Signal System.

CAUSE OF RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

Most of Them Due to Neurosis, Says Dr. Alexander Scott of Glasgow. Several Cases Cited—Run on Pennsylvania Dutch by the Lehigh Valley Road.

The Chicago and Eastern Illinois is equipping its double track between Chicago and Momence, Ills., a distance of 33 miles with a new safety signal system, says the St. Louis Republic. This will be the first test ever made of this device on a full division of road, and it will be carefully watched by railroad men from all parts of the country. The Miller signal is an electrical device invented by H. V. Miller, superintendent of telegraph of the Alton railroad, and does away with semaphores, their complicated machinery and expensive maintenance.

The Miller system is placed in the engine cab. When the track is clear, a white light burns constantly. When it is obstructed, a red light burns. The track is divided into insulated blocks, the length varying according to the conditions. If the road is crooked, the blocks are not to exceed half a mile long. If the track is straight, they may be longer. Any obstruction in any block, whether it be a train, an open switch or a car blown off the siding, is at once detected by the engineer. The signal is operated by a small storage battery under the cab seat in the engine and by batteries placed in boxes below the frost line along the track.

It is claimed that neither frost, fog, snow, rain nor any of the things which so seriously interfere with the working of other signals can have any effect on the Miller signal. The engineer has the lights in front of him, and as long as his white light is burning he knows that the track ahead of him is clear for at least two blocks. It is also claimed that by the use of the device trains can be run on closer schedules, with less danger, than by any other method now in use. The block systems now in use cost about $1,000 a mile, while the Miller signal costs about half that sum. The cost of maintenance of the Miller signal is quite small.

At the recent annual meeting of the British Medical association in London Dr Alexander Scott of Glasgow made the alarming assertion that most railway accidents were due to neurosis of railway men, caused by the nerve tension of their duties. To prove this he cited many cases which had come under his own observation.

A man who had been promoted from fireman to engineer soon complained of dyspepsia. The usual remedies failed, and he sent the man to a consulting physician. The latter also failed to cure the man. Then the engineer went through a whole course of quack medicine without any success. It was only after a big smash up on the railway, as a result of which the man was dismissed, that he finally got well. He had simply been suffering from nervous tension.

Another man who had been working on a farm became a railway servant and afterward a signalman. The nervous tension was so great that it brought on headache, weariness and insomnia. He ultimately recovered and is now an excellent workman, but not a signalman.

Another case cited was that of a signalman who was found on the floor in convulsions. When he was able to speak, he said he never entered the signal box without feeling that he was on the brink of a precipice and that some day a disaster would occur. Another man who was put in the signal box after doing general railway work developed an acute mania in the form of an affection of the nervous cells.

Dr. Scott referred to the Slough accident. In this case the engineer declared that he did not know how he had run past the danger signal. The jury found that the engineer had been afflicted for a moment with aberration of the mind, yet this same man had conveyed over 150,000,000 passengers without a single mistake.

The Lehigh Valley railroad struck a blow at the perpetuation of the Pennsylvania German language when an order was issued to the shifting engine crews that all conversation, social and business, while on duty must be in the English language, says the Philadelphia Ledger. The order says that "under no circumstances shall Pennsylvania German be spoken." Station Agent Fretz says the real reason for issuing the order is that some time ago a conductor gave directions to the crew of his train in Pennsylvania German, and a serious collision nearly resulted because a brakeman who did not understand the language perfectly had a string of cars shifted on the wrong track. Railroad officials say that as the book of rules is printed in English that language should be used by crews.

For the benefit of tourists the Swiss government has sanctioned the construction of a new railway from Montreux to the Bernese Oberland, which will be finally extended to Interlaken.

Parlor Cars For Theater Goers

When the theatrical season opens in Brooklyn, the Rapid Transit company will operate parlor cars on a special schedule for theater goers, says the New York Sun. The intention is to start them on Oct. 1. The fare will be 25 cents.

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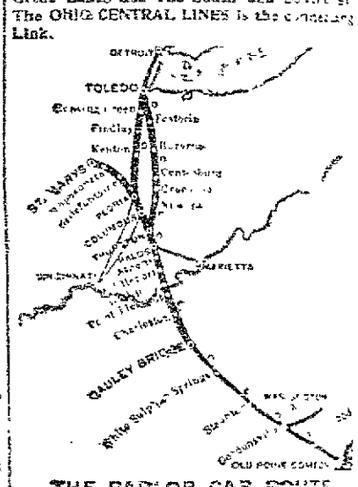

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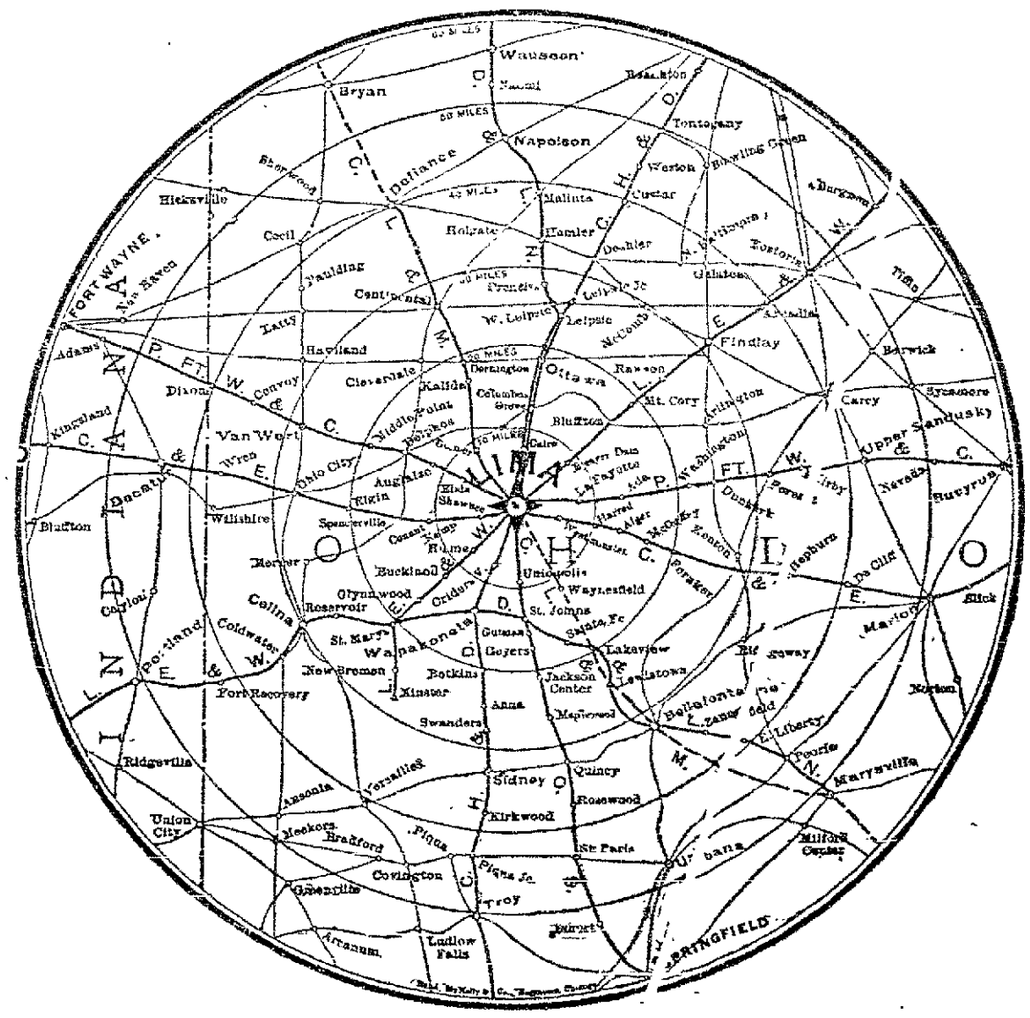

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No. 3, Daily.....12:41 p m
No. 5, Daily.....4:20 p m
No. 9, Daily.....6:00 p m
No. 65, Sunday only.....6:50 a m
No. 15, Daily, except Sunday, Arr. 7:45 p m
No. [illegible], Sunday only, arrives.....11:30 p m

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No. 14, Daily except Sunday.....2:10 p m
No. 2, Daily except Sunday.....7:30 a m
No. 6, Daily.....11:57 a m
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No. 66, Sunday only.....7:43 a m
No. 16, Daily except Sunday, Arr. 9:04 p m
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No. 1 | No. 2 P. M.
[illegible] Lv [illegible]... Defiance ...(1)...Ar 4:30
... *Miller ...
... *Mentley ...
[illegible] Lv [illegible]... Southerton ......Lv 4:06
[illegible]... Rice ......Lv 4:00
[illegible]... Continental (2)...Lv 3:45
[illegible]... Continental (2)...Ar 3:15
... *Leon ...
[illegible] Ar [illegible]... Dermington (3)...Lv. 2:55
[illegible] Lv [illegible]... Dermington (3)...Ar 2:45
[illegible]... Kalida ......Lv 2:35
[illegible]... Kalida ......Ar 3:20
... *Seitz ...
[illegible]... Jones City (4)...Lv 1:59
[illegible]... Gomer ......Lv 1:50
... *Pogue ...
[illegible]... North Lima (5)...Lv 1:30
[illegible] Ar [illegible]... C. H. & D. Yds. (6)..Lv 1:25

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Time Table in effect June 16th, 1901.

South Bound.

Stations.	No. 1	No. 3	No. 7
	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Detroit ......Lv.	7:45	6:00	6:30
Delray	8:00	6:15	6:45
Wyandotte	8:15	6:30	7:00
Trenton	8:25	6:40	7:10
Flat Rock	8:37	6:52	7:22
Carleton	8:52	7:05	7:25
Scofield	9:04	7:17	7:46
Maybee	9:09	7:22	7:52
Dundee	9:30	7:45	8:15
Tecumseh	10:00	8:15	8:45
Adrian	10:23	8:37	9:08
Madison	10:35	8:49	9:20
Sand Creek	10:42	8:56	9:27
Denson	11:02	9:16	9:47
Wauseon	11:25	9:38	10:00
Napoleon	11:50	10:00	10:31
Malinta	12:10	......	10:51
Hamler	12:22	......	11:03
Leipsic	12:39	......	11:21
Ottawa	12:50	......	11:33
Columbus Grove.	1:03	......	11:47
Cairo	1:14	......	11:59
Lima	1:30	......	12:15
Jackson Center..	2:27	......	......
Quincy	2:49	......	......
St. Paris	3:16	......	......
Springfield ...Ar.	3:55	......	......

North Bound.

Stations.	No. 2	No. 4	No. 8
	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.
Springfield ...Lv.	8:30	......	......
St. Paris	9:09	......	......
Quincy	9:34	......	......
Jackson Center.	9:57	......	......
Lima	10:50	......	6:05
Cairo	11:06	......	6:21
Columbus Grove	11:17	......	6:33
Ottawa	11:30	......	6:47
Leipsic	11:41	......	6:59
Hamler	11:58	......	7:17
Malinta	12:10	......	7:29
Napoleon	12:25	6:00	7:42
Wauseon	12:55	6:22	8:11
Denson	1:18	6:44	8:33
Sand Creek	1:38	7:04	8:53
Madison	1:45	7:11	9:00
Adrian	1:57	7:23	9:12
Tecumseh	2:20	7:45	9:35
Dundee	2:50	8:15	10:05
Maybee	3:11	8:36	10:26
Scofield	3:16	8:41	10:31
Carleton	3:28	8:52	10:43
Flat Rock	3:42	9:07	10:57
Trenton	3:55	9:20	11:10
Wyandotte	4:05	9:30	11:20
Delray	4:20	9:45	11:35
Detroit ......Ar.	4:35	10:00	11:50

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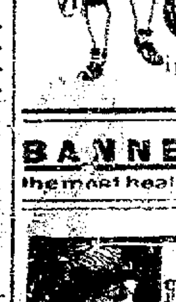

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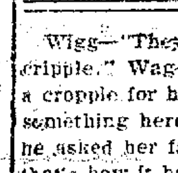
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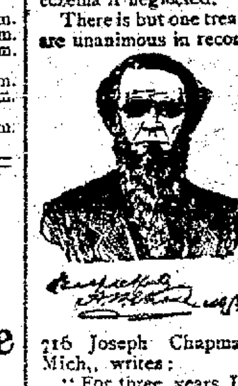

Mr. J. H. Grant, 716 Joseph Chapman avenue, Detroit, Mich., writes:

"For three years I have been troubled by an intense itching on my body. So terrible was it at times that I could get no rest night or day. I tried all kinds of ointments and blood purifiers, but could get no relief. Mr. H. A. Nicolai of 379 Division street recommended Dr. Chase's Ointment. A few applications stopped the itching and I have felt nothing since."

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Excursion tickets to Buffalo for the Pan-American Exposition are now on sale at ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Lines. Fares from Lima are as follows:

Tickets good returning ten days, $10.30.

Tickets good returning fifteen days, $12.40.

Season tickets with return limit until October 31st, $15.40.

Special coach excursion tickets good leaving Buffalo up to midnight of Thursday following date of sale will be sold Tuesday at $6.55.

Tourist tickets at special fares may also be obtained for trips via Buffalo to resorts in Canada. Such tickets will be good for stop-over at Buffalo to see the Pan-American Exposition, by payment of $1.00 extra at Buffalo.

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NEW FAD IN FLOWERS.

Cultivation of Water Lilies Now Popular.

SKILL AND PATIENCE NEEDED.

How They Can Be Grown In Boxes. No Garden Nowadays Thought Complete Without the Flowers. Seeds Imported From Distant Parts of the World.

There is a new fad which is daily becoming more popular with those people who have gardens and find amusement in acclimatizing and cultivating delicate and unusual plants, says the New York Post. It is the growing of water lilies of peculiar and rare varieties, the seeds of which are imported from all over the world, from Zanzibar and Mexico to Denmark and Sweden. Most of the private growers do not attempt to begin with the seeds unless they happen to have an elaborately equipped hothouse, but they get the plants from the one or two dealers who make a specialty of importing and growing them. Even then it is no easy matter to produce the flowers, though the different kinds of plants vary greatly in hardiness.

One of the most popular varieties comes from Zanzibar, and with these plants the water has to be kept at a high temperature. To accomplish this one grower had his tank built of wood, resting it on the surface of the ground so that the sunlight and heat combined could reach it from every side. This tank was 12 feet long by 6 broad and 3 deep. Each plant—there were five in all in the tank—was placed in a box 18 inches square and 12 deep, and in the case of two varieties of lilies which ordinarily grow in shallow water the boxes had to be raised up a little off the bottom of the tank. The water in the tank got thoroughly warmed by the sun during the day and seemed to hold that warmth pretty evenly during the night.

About twice a week, however, it was necessary to charge the water, and this was a process of six or seven hours. A little stream from a spring about 40 feet away was run along an open trough in the sun into the tank, and at the same time the old water was let out at the bottom. In this way the chill was taken off the fresh water before it reached the lilies. In order to keep the water pure a number of goldfish were imported into the pond and six dozen or more of the round shelled fresh water snails. These snails not only police the plants and eat the insects which attack them, but keep the wooden sides of the tank clean. The experiment of putting frogs in the water was tried, but it was found that when the frogs came up to take the air on the edge of the tank they were apt to lose their heads and jump out instead of in again, when of course they could not climb back.

The most important part of the outfit is the dirt in the boxes in which the plants grow. The water does not nourish the lily except as it filters through the dirt; it merely supports them. In fact, one enthusiastic grower who gave some bulbs to his farmer to set out discovered some time afterward a number of diminutive water lilies growing lustily in a corner of one of his fields far from any pond, where they had been planted by mistake. The dirt in these boxes for the plants is usually made up of a mixture of loam and cow manure, with a layer of two inches of sand on top to keep the water in the tank from getting muddy. Opinions vary as to the proportions of the ingredients, and there are various recipes, but these are the materials generally used. Loam, and this may not be generally known, is the dirt close under the sod in rich land which has been thoroughly worked by the worms.

The flowers of these plants are generally white and blue and last about two or three days and of course vary indefinitely in size and shape of their petals. Some grow above the water, like the Egyptian lotus, of which there is such a luxuriant growth in one of the ponds in Central park, New York, and others rest on the surface.

The method of growing them in a tank above ground has worked very successfully with the southern varieties from Africa and Mexico, but there are many other kinds. For instance, those from Sweden and the northern countries require very different treatment. These plants are peculiarly difficult to grow here, for the pond in which they are placed must be kept at a degree of coldness difficult to maintain in summer. The scientific experiments with chemically prepared earth, which have resulted in plants of peculiar color, are too complicated and difficult for the ordinary amateur, but the simple method which many people are trying is bringing a very satisfactory addition to the list of flowers in a well kept garden.

Gets $20 an Hour.

A young man of good address from New York is coining money at Newport. He is put up at the fashionable clubs and is a favorite at the principal cottages. The visitor, who stops at a fashionable boarding house, is an instructor in bridge whist, says the New York World. This is his only business. He is paid $20 an hour for lessons, and he gives lessons even at the principal clubs. His time is all taken up, and he has a long waiting list. His services are in demand day and night by society in general.

New Electrical Brake.

A new and wonderful brake for electric cars is being manufactured which in case of accident drops to the rails and wheels and creates maximum friction.

SEEDLESS WATERMELONS.

Secret of Raising Them Said to Have Been Discovered In Colorado.

Former State Senator Swink has been working on the seedless melon proposition many years. During the long winter nights he sat up and wrestled with the great problem. "How can it be done?" Often daylight found him examining minutely and microscopically the seeds he had cut and hacked and desiccated in his efforts to determine how to get along without them, and early one morning about five months ago, so it is related, according to the Denver Post, Mr. Swink came bounding into breakfast after one of his all night sessions and startled his wife and children by shouting in a perfect spasm of glee: "I've got it! I can do it!"

Then, it is said, he rushed away without explaining to his astonished family what on earth he meant.

But Mrs. Swink is reported to have said, "Never mind, father knows." And as "father" stands quite well in the estimation of his family the mere knowledge that he knew was quite sufficient for all. Swink selected certain kinds of seeds, planted them at certain unusual distances apart and began to watch for the first signs of their germination. After spying on the plants as they grew it became known that he had really put some momentous enterprise on foot.

Later Mr. Swink brought and laid before his family and friends a huge, long green melon and, dividing it clearly at one stroke of his big knife, displayed to them the pink interior of a splendid emerald sphere without a single seed. This was but the small beginning of a great end. Of course Mr. Swink will not reveal the secret process by which he cut off a melon's hope of posterity and at the same time renders its fleeting presence here most beneficent and beloved.

The seeds in the melons have always been considered a great drawback, and, while they do not act as complete neutralizers of the joys of such luscious gormandizing, they have by many been recorded as a serious menace to the lives of the eaters.

MANILA'S NAUTICAL SCHOOL

The Students Are Imitative and Have a Retentive Memory.

The navy department at Washington has received the report of Lieutenant R. H. Townley of his administration of the nautical school at Manila, from which place he was detached and ordered home. He recommends the use of the Bancroft as a practice ship and says among other things:

"The students are natives and in general are obedient, zealous, studious and ambitious. Their most marked characteristics are an imitative aptitude and a retentive memory in all practical and mechanical work. The greatest difficulty is in enforcing regularity of attendance, which is so essential in progressive instruction.

"I would recommend that hereafter the number of cadets to be admitted be apportioned to the various provinces of the islands in proportion to the population and that the appointments be made by the governor or by some suitable officer of the province, the appointees to be subject to the general admission examination to be held at that school. As the young men of the entire archipelago are eligible to admission to the school, this plan, in my opinion, would afford the best means of giving general and equal representation.

"Generations of the siesta habit affect the cadets during the afternoon session. I believe better work could be accomplished by a continuous session of from 7 to 12 or 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. than by the present arrangement of an afternoon and a morning session. This also would compel the students to make only one trip from the school during the heat of the day."

TO TEST KOCH'S THEORY.

Dairy Commissioner Offers Himself as a Subject.

In view of the interest taken in the question of whether or not animal tuberculosis can be communicated to human beings, T. L. Monson, state dairy commissioner of Colorado, offered himself, according to a Denver dispatch to the Philadelphia Press, as a subject for thorough test, provided a suitable annuity for his family shall be assured in case of fatal results.

Mr. Monson has made a study of the matter and is a strong believer in Dr. Koch's theory.

Old Amphitheater to Be Restored.

An attempt to resuscitate the old Roman amphitheater near the Jardin des Plantes, Paris, is about to be made, says the Paris Messenger. This ancient arena, which is now used partly as a playground for poor children and partly for omnibus stables, has a remarkable history. It is one of the largest known Roman arenas and dates back to the first century. There is evidence that Emperor Julian held sports there. Gregory of Tours says that Hilperic restored it in 583 for the purpose of giving popular displays. The site was unearthed in 1867, when the Rue Monge was constructed, and the omnibus company secured it for stables and shelters for their vehicles.

The Proper Wedding Invitations.

All the prevailing styles of engraving in wedding stationery show the old English and Roman lettering—either solid or shaded, says the September Ladies' Home Journal. The correct wedding invitation is 5 inches by 6⅝ inches (double sheet, of course); the reception card, 5 inches by 3½ inches; church card, 3 7-16 inches by 2 5-16 inches; at home card, 3¼ 7-16 inches by 2⅜ inches; announcement card, 4½ inches by 5¾ inches.

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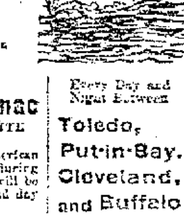

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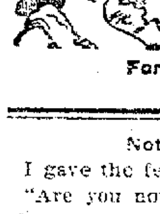

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I gave the felon a terrible look.

"Are you not ashamed," I thundered, "to be a mere thief when it is so easy to be an astute financier?"

"But, it was not my fault," whimpered the fellow, "that my victim had only $10."—Detroit Free Press.

Astounded the Editor.

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., was once immensely surprised. "Through long suffering from dyspepsia," he writes, "my wife was greatly run down. She had no strength or vigor and suffered great distress from her stomach, but she tried Electric Bitters which helped her at once, and, after using four bottles, she is entirely well, can eat anything. It's a grand tonic, and its gentle laxative qualities are splendid for torpid liver." For indigestion, loss of appetite, stomach and liver troubles it's a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

The Boomerang in Medicine and Art.

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Doctor's wife—Those marked "G. P."? Oh they were painted for him by "Grateful Patients."—Chicago Record Herald.

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CHINESE CABBAGES.

Agricultural Department to Experiment With an Oriental Vegetable.

The agricultural department is now making preparations for a series of experiments next spring to test the growing in the United States of fruits and vegetables which for centuries have been used by the Chinese, says the Washington Star. The vegetable from which the best result is anticipated is the Chinese cabbage, which has a delicate flavor, but none of that "cabbage smell" which makes the vegetable unwelcome in many a household where it would otherwise be placed on the table.

The Chinese cabbage may be cooked as is the American variety without fear that callers will be able to tell what their host is to have for dinner. This cabbage does not "head up" in the compact form of the American variety. Its leaves are loose, and while the plant is growing the gardener must tie them up so that the inner leaves will be blanched and tender by the time it gets its full growth. Otherwise the leaves would spread and be less desirable as a food.

Stop Colds

when you feel one coming on by taking Krause's Cold Cure. Prepared in convenient capsules that cure while you work. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Preserving Monkey Talk.

Professor R. L. Garner, who has spent years studying the language of monkeys, writes to a friend in Boston that he has recently procured several phonographic reproductions of conversations of monkeys, which he hopes to be able to translate, says the New York World. Professor Garner first pursued the system of taking monkey language on his machine placed within the cage by his side, and after having got as clear a sample of monkey talk as possible under the circumstances he "springs" it on another set of monkeys, gets what these monkeys have to say in answer and with the material has attempted to add to what he has already discovered of monkey talk.

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VICE

Rampant Throughout the City

And the Police

Can Do Nothing to Stop the Disgrace.

Their Hands Tied by the Administration's "Wide Open Town" Policy.

Drunken Brawls and Other Disgraceful Disturbances Occur Every Night in at Least One Locality.

Not a day passes without complaint being made by citizens of Lima against the evils that have arisen and spread like an epidemic under the "wide open town" policy of the present city administration. Almost every district in the city has been contaminated by the vice and debauchery that has been encouraged and is participated in daily by officers in the employ of the city but the persons who suffer most from this reign of vice are the respectable citizens who live in the immediate vicinity of the red light dens near the P. Ft. W. & C. and C. H. & D. depots. Proprietor and Mrs. Manhard, of the Cambridge hotel and their guests are frequently and almost nightly disturbed and disgusted by the din of drunken brawls and carousals in and about some of the resorts that line Pennsylvania avenue. These disturbances, consisting chiefly of the loud, obscene and profane language of drunken men and women, with an occasional cutting or shooting scrape, the throwing of beer glasses etc., usually begin with darkness in the evening and increase in force as the night passes and seldom cease until the gray shadows of dawn appear. Then, and usually not until then, do the depraved men and women disappear and the respectable citizens are permitted to sleep undisturbed.

Only a few nights ago, at a late hour, a crowd of drunken rounders got into a free-for-all fight in the park at the south side of the depot and their curses awakened nearly every person in the Cambridge hotel. The fight continued for nearly half an hour and when one man was finally knocked out he was dragged down onto the sidewalk in front of the hotel. The police were sent for but before they arrived the fellows disappeared.

At 5 o'clock one morning quite recently the people in the Cambridge hotel were again awakened by boisterous language and curses from a party of drunken men and women who were giving a high kicking performance on the depot platform. This continued for nearly an hour and there was no police interference.

Day before yesterday, at the usual hour for the finale of the night's continuous performance, a prominent business man of the city and a drunken woman attracted the attention of every person in the vicinity of the depots by engaging in a quarrel in which the woman's profanity was the principal weapon used. The business man insisted in kissing the drunken creature and succeeded in the attempt after she had fought and cursed like a sailor. This scene continued for fully thirty minutes but it belonged to the "wide open town" and as usual there was no interference on the part of the police.

The patrolemen cannot be blamed for all the evils that are practiced undisturbed. Some of the officials high in authority frequent the bawdy houses and mingle with the inmates in drunken carousals.

BOUND OVER

Was August Young Who Drove Picnic Wagon.

August Young, the driver through whose alleged carelessness a picnic wagon was upset and two children seriously injured, one perhaps fatally, last Wednesday afternoon, was arraigned before Mayor McComb this morning to answer to the charge of "assault with intent to kill." Young pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury. In default of bond in the sum of $500, he was committed to the county jail.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT RECEIVES BY WIRE THE TELEGRAPHIC AND CABLE SERVICE OF THE SCRIPPS-McRAE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

POWER

Will be Furnished by the Western Ohio

To Operate the Road That is Now Being Constructed from Bryan to Wapakoneta.

The electric line from Bryan to St. Marys seems to be a sure go. Almost all of the right-of-way has been secured and the surveyors are now engaged in going over the line and making the final survey, one party of surveyors starting from Bryan last Wednesday and another starting from Wapakoneta, going north. The road will be 95 miles in length and the promoters are very enthusiastic over the outlook and are anxious to begin the work of construction. Mr. P. H. Anschutz, of Van Wert, was in Wapakoneta Tuesday in the interest of the line and getting information concerning the advantages and industries of the town. Arrangements have been made with the Western Ohio Ry. Co. to furnish power for the road until the Bryan-St. Marys company can install their own power station, the location of which has not yet been determined upon. From Van Wert the road runs south-east through Venedocia, Converse and Monticello to St. Marys.

TEACHERS

Endorse the Work of Examiner Graham

And Ask His Appointment for Another Term.

The Resolution Unanimously Endorsed and Presented to the Probate Judge Signed by 414 Teachers.

The annual meeting of the Allen county teachers association closed yesterday evening, the contest for the offices of secretary and member of the executive committee resulting in the selection of Miss Lizzie Judkins, of Marion township, for secretary and S. P. Herr, of Bluffton, on the committee.

As an instance showing the appreciation of C. A. Graham as a member of the county school examiners, a resolution asking for his reappointment was unanimously passed, and at five o'clock yesterday evening, a copy of the resolution was filed with probate judge Miller containing the signatures of 414 persons who have been applicants for positions as teachers. The resolution reads as follows:

We, the committee on resolutions of the Allen County Teachers Association in annual session beg to submit the following resolution:

Be it resolved, that as Mr. C. A. Graham is a thorough scholar, an excellent teacher and a judicious superintendent, has always taken an active interest in the advancement of the cause of education and the improvement of our school system, and has been instrumental by his liberal searching tests, in broadening the scholarship of our teachers, thus creating a higher educational sentiment and increasing the efficiency of our public schools, he be recommended to the Hon. A. D. Miller, Probate Judge of Allen county, for reappointment as school examiner.

RECITAL

To be Given in the Opera House by Miss Simons.

Some of Lima's Best Talent Has Been Secured and the Program Will be an Excellent One.

Miss Parmilla Simons, of east Kilby street, has decided to give a musical recital in Faurot's opera house on next Friday evening, August 23. Miss Simons has engaged some of the best musical talent in the city to assist her and the affair will be a grand treat in every particular. Miss Simons is the possessor of a rich soprano voice, of which she has excellent control, and the object in giving the recital is to enable her to continue her musical studies in Chicago. The public owes in a measure a debt of gratitude to her, as she has always sang at every public entertainment in the city gratuitously. It is to be hoped that the public will fill the house on next Friday evening and encourage her in her ambitious task.

Hoax—"Do you believe the Constitution follows the flag?" Joax—"Just as surely as the undertaker follows the doctor."

SENT

In His Resignation by Wire.

Official Report

Of the Fight Between Rodman and Young

Fixes the Blame on the Clerk Who Assaulted Yardmaster Rodman.

Local Railroads Adopt the One Cent a Mile Rate to Buffalo, Tickets Sold on Tuesday of Each Week.

There is not a little interest in Lima in connection with the trouble at Toledo between General Yard Master L. D. Rodman, of the C. H. & D. at that point and yard clerk C. D. Young, an account of whose fistic engagement was published in the Times-Democrat last night. It was expected that there would be some official notice taken of the affair and so it has been, but the prompt resignation of clerk Young by wire will probably render it unnecessary to order a full investigation, the retirement of the one combatant rather lending truth to the statement made by Rodman.

The latter has informed the Lima officials that Young was the aggressor, and it was brought about by a report sent here that Young, who is the assistant agent at Rossford, was not giving the best of attention to his work. Young rather blamed Rodman for "peaching" and he entered the latter's office with the letter of reprimand which he threw on the desk and with the remark, "this is some of your dirty work," struck Rodman on the head with his fist. Before the latter could get to his feet, he received another blow, this time in the face.

Ther was but one man present, an employe named Nye, who working on the docks, but instead of trying to separate the men he ran from the office. Rodman finally got the upper hand and Young was repaid for his assault in the same kind of coin he delivered. Young then wired his resignation, which has been accepted.

Electric Bells vs. Watchman.

Railway companies are now engaged in making experiments with electric alarm bells, which are calculated to take the place of watchmen at crossings and are supposed to greatly lessen the cost of looking after the safety of the public. So far this system has been quite expensive. The cost of installation, about $275, is not all there is to the expense. The best batteries will have to be completely renewed twice a year and then it requires expert supervision over the plants, though this item is not so important in a money way, as one man will look after many plants. The Pennsylvania company put in a bell at College street in Fort Wayne and is about to place two more in operation.

Brakeman Injured.

Ed. Gorman, brakeman on the C. H. & D. south bound local was badly injured at Anna when the local was doing its work there yesterday morning. He was holding a pole used for pushing cars on parallel tracks. The pole broke and struck him in the left side. He was attended by Dr. C. W. B. Harbour the company's surgeon at Anna, and brought to his home, 592 north Jackson street in this city, on the afternoon train.

Freight House Robbed.

At some time Wednesday night, thieves entered the C. H. & D. freight house and stole three kegs of whisky, owned by John A. Scott. The theft was discovered by Frank Wolf who, upon opening the office, found that a door on the north side of the building had been forced open, while the door on the opposite side was unlocked, plainly showing that the thieves had loaded their plunder in a rig, the tracks of which were to be seen. Mr. Wold followed the tracks to North Cory street and south to Fair street, where traces of the wheel prints were lost. Later in the day a large iron bar, resembling a chowbar, was found lying under the platform, the instrument undoubtedly having been used to break the door open. The kegs contained thirty gallons of whisky.—Findlay Republican.

Couldn't Stand Findlay.

Cal Cramer, operator at the C. H. & D. pasenger depot, in this city, has resigned his position to accept a similar situation with the Nickle Plate railroad company at Cincinnati. He will leave today to accept his new position. Mr. Cramer is well known in this city and is one of the leading members in the K. of P. band.—Findlay Republican.

A Short Trip Rate.

Beginning with next Tuesday, the Lake Erie & Western will adopt the one cent a mile rate to Buffalo, which other lines have been advertising for some time, and those who want the chance of spending a week at the Pan-American will now have that opportunity. Rate for the round trip being $6.55, for sixty days. Tickets at the one cent rate can only be purchased on Tuesdays. A fifteen day trip can be taken however for one fare plus $1, making the rate to and from Buffalo $10.30. These tickets are on sale every day from now on.

General Notes.

The Pennsylvania has awarded contracts for the construction of 2,000 box cars of 100,000 pounds capacity. They will have steel under-framing, will be thirty-six feet long, eight feet six inches wide and eight feet high inside.

John Conway, of the Lima Machine works, who has been off duty for some time suffering with inflamatory rheumatism, reported today that he is again ready for duty in the boiler-making department.

H. E. Williamson, route agent of the U. S. Express company, was the guest yesterday of freight agent J. H. Upp, of the Lake Erie and Western.

C. H. & D. Notes.

Passenger Agent Burkhardt reports 130 tickets from Lima to the big reunion at Cridersville.

An official bulletin announces that standard clocks have been placed on the electric circuit in the south Dayton, north Dayton and Lima yards and also at Rossford, just out of Toledo.

S. E. Snyder is on car No. 37 in the place of J. V. Legg the regular brakeman, who is off duty.

Passenger Engineer Lew Kemper left today for Mackinac to spend his vacation.

At 11:30 this morning the C. H. & D. carried the Confiress club from Toledo to Cincinnati, the party having returned by boat from a ten days visit at the Pan-American. Conductor John Collins and Engineer Kemp had the train in charge which consisted of a baggage car and three luxurious coaches. The Congress club is one of the swellest in the Queen city and the present trip was an annual event.

C. B. Matthews, formerly of the Big Four railroad, has accepted a position with the C. H. & D. company. He left today for Cincinnati to accept a temporary situation as an operator. Mr. Matthews has a large number of friends who wish him good fortune in his new undertaking.

The ditch case of the C. H. & D. against commissioners of Auglaize county, has been taken to the Common Pleas Court on a bill of exceptions.

THE IDLER.

Rev. Wallace in Toledo.

Hundreds of Lima people will be interested in learning that Rev. Wallace, formerly pastor of Trinity church in this city and more recently superintendent of the Ohio Institute for the blind, is now identified with a prosperous and successful enterprise in the city of Toledo. After leaving Columbus, Mr. Wallace ventured into the building and loan business in Toledo and this enterprise is now being merged into an institution to be known as the Lucas county Savings Bank, of which Mr. Wallace is secretary and treasurer, or, in other words, cashier.

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A Young Scrapper.

The crying of a small boy attracted the attention of a number of people in front of the Elk cafe yesterday evening, and an appeal was made to his older companion as to the cause. It was learned that they were brothers and the younger one, who was about seven years of age, had drawn a knife and struck at his brother who was trying to get him to go home. In taking the knife away from him the little savage hand was slightly cut.

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An Oxford Man Chosen.

Forty-one applications were filed with the Delphos school board for the position of superintendent of schools to succeed Prof. E. W. Hastings resigned. After mature deliberation, the board elected George W. Lewis, of Oxford, O. The new man stands high in educational circles, the graduates from his school at Lebanon be received without examination into some of the best colleges in the state.

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To Be Buried at Convoy.

The funeral of Dr. R. L. Crooks, who was killed by a Pennsylvania train, will be held at Convoy tomorrow, and the Odd Fellows and Red Men's orders at Van Wert will assist in conducting the services. The hour of the funeral is at 2 o'clock.

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No Politics in it.

The village of St. Johns held its first municipal election for village officers. The following excellent ticket being the only one in the field, was elected unanimously: Mayor, Benjamin Price; clerk, W. J. Coleman; treasurer, Frank Martin; marshal, Christ Gnagi; councilmen, John Rogers, John Gnagi, Samuel Brackney, Abraham Bilger, C. E. Schuler, McKendra Gibson. The ticket was non-partisan, all parties being represented. Hence the politics of St. John is yet a mystery.

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Ready for Her Work.

Miss Medora Freeman, who has been spending several days at Van Wert learning the methods employed in the operation of the Brumbach library, has returned home and is now prepared to take charge of the new Lima institution when it opens next month.

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Strike Will Cause Delay.

The Western Ohio electric line is to branch at Sidney, one part of the Y going to Loramies and the other to Lima. Through cars will be run on the Lima-Piqua line only, accommodation cars on the branch. The great steel strike will delay considerably the final completion of the road.—Troy Record.

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Ten to One He Comes Back.

John Gore, the oil contractor will move his family to this city from Lima. They will reside on Locust street.—Findlay Republican.

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A Business Change.

Ex-Councilman Louis Koch has sold his grocery in the Heffner block to Edward L. Snook and Edward Baechler. The new firm have taken charge and are both well known young men who are of the right kind of timber to succeed.

HEROIC

Act of a C. H. & D. Official From This City.

Probably Prevented a Frightful Accident in the City of Toledo Yesterday Noon.

At noon yesterday Mr. C. M. Overly, the popular councilman from the Seventh ward, stopped a runaway team of horses that was heading around a street corner in Toledo, straight for the side of an open car that was loaded with women and children. Under the caption, "A Heroic Act" the Toledo Blade publishes the following account of the affair:

"Mr. Overly, of Lima, a councilman and superintendent of bridges on the C. H. & D. railroad, demonstrated today that he was made out of the sort of clay from which heroes are moulded. A team of horses, attached to Johnson Bros.' delivery wagon, took fright in Ottawa street. Mr. Overly noticed the team as it dashed by the C. H. & D. offices. Just as the runaways were about to turn onto Summit street, he caught and held them until assistance arrived. There was no particular damage."

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